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PREFACE

Ten years ago when I wrote Cuban Santeria: Walking with the Night, I wanted to emphasize the predominantly African-specifically, Yoruba-character of the religion, a fact often under-emphasized by a largely Latino community of Santeria practitioners in the United States. As I demonstrated in that book, Santeria is an initiatic religion-a mystery religion-and the language employed in its initiatory ceremonies, such as in karishua, the ceremony in which a new priest is created, is Lukumi, an archaic form of Yoruba, an African language. In Cuba and other Spanish-speaking countries however, those Santeria priests who chose to dedicate their practice to healing-instead of, let's say, divining-relied heavily on a corpus of prayers stemming from a number of non-African traditions. These prayers came from diverse sources. Most originated in Roman Catholicism and can still be found in one form or another in Catholic gift shops on the reverse of little pocket pictures of saints, or in collections of popular prayers. Another source for these prayers is the French Spiritual movement begun in the 1800's by Alfonso Juárez, which has become a force in Latin America under the name Espiritismo. The third source, representing perhaps the most mystical, magical, and practical aspects of these prayers, is to be found among the indigenous populations where Santeria has taken root.

Many of these hybrid incantations such as the "Prayer to Shango Macho" and the "Prayer to the Seven African Powers" were first used in the city of Santiago, in eastern Cuba. In this part of Cuba, ritos

Angela, Mother of the Creator of us all, Queen of Mercy, Immense Abyss of Piety, receive us all under your protective shelter, oh provider for all who seek your help, as you have done over the ages according to the stories told by the pious who constantly pray in your churches, in particular your church in Regla, where you have chosen to more definitely show us your power and charity. It is in this temple, venerating your image, that everyone has found an answer to his prayer: the sailor has been delivered from a tempest, those under persecution have been delivered from danger, even those given up by physicians have found healing through prayers said in front of your image in your little sanctuary in Regla. Weak limbs become invigorated and, in general, all afflictions are cured in the church of Regla, where you, oh Queen of Heaven! Have chosen to reside. We beseech you to continue to bless sea fearing folk with voyages free from tempests and weak boats, allowing them to reach their ports of destination. We ask that those being persecuted be freed from their enemies, and those weak of limb be reinvigorated and strengthened by your grace, as have so many whose miracles are told in the offerings that cover the walls of your temple. As we venerate, oh Queen of Heaven, this your image, we implore that you sponsor us and give us what we ask for, including the precious gifts your most holy Son gives us: a clear conscience, physical strength, and good health that we may better serve and venerate Him. Give us the answer to our questions and fulfill our needs, in particular that for which I ask now. We hope that through your intercession we obtain what we ask for, even though we do not deserve it, but only dare ask confident in your enormous capacity to forgive and overlook our failings, Amen.

cruzados or "crossed rito" ("crossed" meaning "mixed," as in mixing Lukumi with Spanish) are popular among practitioners of Santería. Other prayers were composed in honor of historical or legendary folk heroes, such as the "Prayer to José Gregorio Hernández," a 20th century Venezuelan physician who enjoys enormous popularity since his death in 1919. There are also prayers to archetypal spirit guides. Such as the "Prayer to the Congo Spirit," "Prayer to the Indian Spirit," and the "Prayer to La Madama," an Aunt Jemima look-alike representing the house "mummy" slaves that often took care of a white household's children.

When English-speaking people began to adopt Santería en masse after the Cuban exodus to the United States in the 1960's, the Lukumi aspects of the religion became easily adaptable to the new milieu, but the Spanish prayers used outside initiatory rituals, the ones traditionally used in more popular healing—or sometimes cursing—acts were not generally translated into English, largely because of the effort it would take to collect, translate, and catalogue these prayers. With this volume, I hope to remedy this situation, gathering for the English-speaking practitioner the same efficacious prayers available to Spanish speakers for many years, but gathering them between the covers of a single tome in order to facilitate their use.

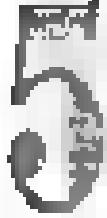
Because many of these prayers have long-standing associations with Santería, I have whenever possible included information relevant to Santeros, such as which Santería demigod (*orisha*) represents which saint mentioned in a particular prayer. At any rate, with this book the English-speaking practitioner will not only find an invaluable aid to his or her practice, but will also find conveniently bound under one cover over 150 prayers that had formerly been available as single sheets sold individually and then usually filed away in a filing cabinet or haphazardly kept in three-ring-binders. As in the original versions, in the English versions you will find that some of these prayers are

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inspiring, while others are simplistic and even coarse. Some are uplifting, while others are obtuse. The power of these selected prayers, however, is immense, and if used with focused intention and an open heart, they can be tools to help the supplicant attain whatever it is that they want. The weight of centuries in some cases, and of millions of ardent believers in all cases, make these some of the most powerful magical formulas ever written. May the Deity guide you to use this powerful book to your best advantage. So be it.

INTRODUCTION

Pray-Perbed! Don't expect anything. Or better, expect nothing. Prayer frees us of expectations and allows Holy Will, Providence, and Life itself an entry. What could be more worth the effort.

-Thomas Moore

God is shining diaphanously through the whole world for those who have eyes to see.

-Tallard de Chardin

Praying is nothing more than the realization of God's presence. St. James says that every good gift comes from above and comes down to us from the Father of lights (James 1:17). Each experience in prayer begins with an act of faith that God has already done so much! God knows our needs and our wants. He also knows the practical materialism at the root of our way of life, a pragmatism that measures success by material values. "I must see immediately in my work and prayer something concrete or otherwise the work is useless." That which I undertake for the love of God and neighbor I soon treasure as something that feeds my own importance, thus, the more detached I become in my prayers, the more richly my prayers are answered!

Prayer consists of a conscious relationship with one who loves us. It is basically a look turned toward God. It is a human being standing outside of the habitual idea he has of himself the person that he thinks

he is. It is getting down below that false exterior and getting into his deepest source where he stands before God, consciously turning toward his source, his Origin. Prayer is something applicable to every human being, and therefore should be as natural as a baby looking on his father or mother's face.

The prayers I've included in this volume have been in use in Spanish-speaking countries for centuries. Although some have been translated to English, these translations have been reproduced at best. There is an old Spanish saying that goes, "el traductor es un traidor" (The translator is a traitor). This alludes to the universal fact that it is impossible to fully translate anything. The best we can hope for is an approximation. The most usual mistake "some do" translations make is to confuse translation with transcription. Idiomatic expressions prove most difficult in this area. Take the Spanish saying "you may also encircle," which many translators do "There's a cat shut up here." The literal translation gives us no clue to the meaning of the expression, thus the translator would not use a literal approach, but would then give the idiomatic expression in English that would carry its true meaning. In this case it could be either "something smells funky" or "something's rotten in Denmark." To the extent that a translator is a traitor I must answer that although few of us speak Russian, millions of us love Anton Chekov.

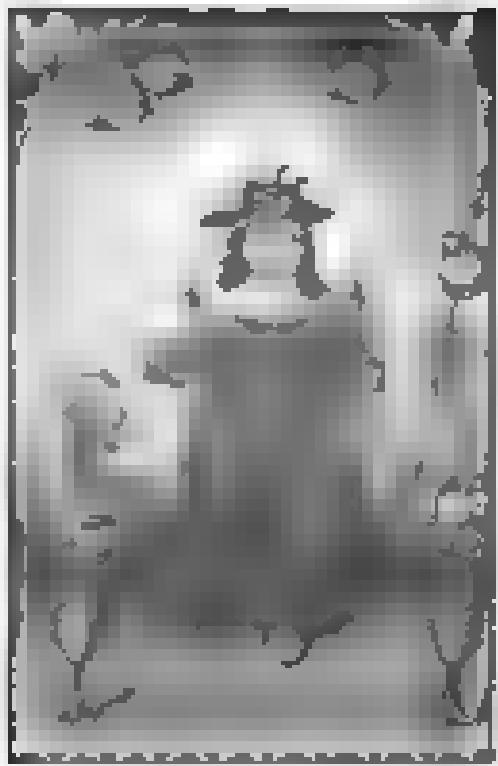
In translating these lovely prayers, I've made it a point to retain the beauty of language found in the originals, and to respect the readers as the smart, intellectual beings.

Before today, many of these prayers were to be found separately in specialized church bulletins and relegated to many practitioners not living in the big cities. Without further ado, here are more than 40 of the most popular practical prayers in use in Latin America and Spain.



**PRAYERS TO
CATHOLIC SAINTS
WITH SANTERIA CORRESPONDENCES,
AND
PRAYERS SAID DIRECTLY TO
SANTERIA ORISHAS**

Most of the prayers featured in this section are directed to Catholic deities that have been syncretized (identified) with Santeria deities (orisha). These prayers are often used by Santeros in conjunction with African concepts. They also stand on their own and can be said by any person with faith, regardless of religious belief. Some prayers in this section are directed to the orisha and are the result of African-European syncretism.



STORY OF THE CHILD OF ATOCHA

El Santo Niño de Atocha

Equivalent Orisha: Elegguá

Feast Day: Jan. 6th

The devotion to El Santo Niño de Atocha originated in Madrid, Spain, during the reign of King Alphonse the Wise in the 13th century. During medieval times, the Moors had large areas and battalions between the Christians and Moors were commonplace. The Moors invaded the town of Atocha. Following a certain battle, the victorious Moors held a great many Christians captive, and prevented the adult villagers from visiting as well as bringing the prisoners food or water. Fearing for the lives of the prisoners, their families stormed heaven with prayers for relief. One day, a child appeared, dressed as a pilgrim of that period, carrying a basket of food and a gourd of water. The Moors allowed the child to bring food and water each day. The prisoners were fed, but the basket and gourd remained full. The child was not known to the Christians nor to the Moors, so the people concluded that the child Jesus, disguised as a pilgrim, had come to their rescue.

In artwork the Holy Child often wears a brimmed hat with a plume and a cloak or cape adorned with the St. James shell. (During the Crusades, scallop shells were the symbol of holy pilgrimages and one European variety is still referred to as "the pilgrim" or "St. James shell." Poets have written about their beauty and artists have admired their symmetry and grace.) In his left hand, He carries a pilgrim's staff.

to the gourd of water is fastened, a pair of shackles, and a few spears intertwined. In his right hand, He holds a basket which generally contains bread or flowers. He either wears sandals or is barefoot. The Child is said to roam the hills and valleys, particularly at night, bringing aid and comfort to the needy, and thereby wearing out his shoes. He is usually shown seated.

The original statue of the Holy Child of Atocha was originally from Spain and now resides in the little town of Fresnillo, Mexico. El Santo Niño de Atocha is the patron saint of those unjustly imprisoned. He also protects travelers and rescues people in danger.

PRAYER THE CHILD OF ATOCHA

All-knowing Child of Atocha, protector of all men, protection of invalids, divine doctor of all illnesses. Most Powerful Child, I greet you, I praise you on this day and I offer you these three Our Fathers, and Hail Marys, with a Glory be to the Father in memory of the journey that you made Incarnate in the most pure womb of your most beloved Mother from the holy city of Jerusalem to Bethlehem.

For the petitions that I make today, I ask you to grant my request, for which I submit these deeds and in union with the choir of cherubim and seraphim, adorned with the most perfect wisdom, oh precious Child of Atocha, I am happy to offer you my supplication, know that I will not be disappointed by you and will be blessed with a good death in order to accompany you to the glory of Bethlehem. Amen.



STORY OF THE CHILD OF PRAGUE

Equivalent Orisha: Eleggu

Feast Day: August 7th

The history of the infant Jesus of Prague started in the 17th century when a statue of the Infant Jesus was brought into Bohemia (now Czech Republic) and eventually was given to the Discalced Carmelites in Prague. Since then, the statue has remained in Prague and has drawn many devotees worldwide to go and honor the Holy Child. Many graces, blessings, favors and miraculous healings have been received by many who petitioned before the Infant Jesus.

PRAYER 2 THE CHILD OF PRAGUE

This prayer was taught by the Most Holy Virgin Mary to Father Cyril of the Mother of God.

Jesus, you decided to become a child, and I'm coming to you full of trust. I believe that your infinite love fulfills all my needs. Even for the intercession of your Holy Mother, you can meet my necessities, spiritual as well as material, if I pray according to your holy will. I love you with all my heart, all my strength.

I beg your pardon, if my weakness makes me sin. I repeat with the Gospel "Lord, if you want you can heal me." I leave you to decide how and when I am ready to

accept suffering, if this is your will, but help me not to become hardened to it, rather to bear fruit. Help me to be a faithful servant and for your sake, Holy Child, to love my neighbor as myself. Almighty Child, unceasingly pray you to support me in my necessities of the present moment.

Grant me the grace to remain in you to be possessed and possess you entirely. With your parents, Mary and Joseph, in the eternal praises of your heavenly servants. Amen

PRAYER 3 ANOTHER PRAYER TO THE HOLY INFANT OF PRAGUE

Jesus, you decided for me to become a child, and I'm coming to you full of trust. I believe that your infinite love foresees all my needs.

Even for the intercession of your holy Mother, you can meet my necessities, spiritual as well as material. If I pray according to your holy will. I love you with all my heart, all of my strength. Beg you pardon if my weakness makes me sin. I repeat with the Gospel "Lord, if you want you can heal me." I leave you to decide how and when. I'm ready to accept suffering. If this is your will, but help me not to become hardened to it, but rather to bear fruit. Help me to be a faithful servant and for your sake, holy Child, to love my neighbor as myself.

Almighty Child, incessantly pray to you to support me in my necessities of the present moment (mention them here). Grant me the grace to remain in you, to be possessed and to possess you entirely, with your parents, Mary and Joseph, in the eternal praise of your heavenly servants. Amen.

STORY OF THE LONELY SOUL

Anima Sola

Equivalent Orisha: Eshu Ambwana

As the story goes, a beautiful maiden of Judea named Celestina Aldanaga (judging by her name, a Roman) was assigned the task of offering water to those suffering on crosses. She gave water to the thieves on either side of Jesus, but not to the Lord, who condemned her to an eternity in Purgatory, a worse fate than an eternity in Hell because Purgatory is a place where souls go for a determined period of time until ready to be admitted in Heaven. Celestina was condemned to be the only permanent resident of Purgatory, watching all others come and go while she remains in Helleh Corment, the loneliest of souls. Why such a creature inspires devotion is perplexing, but millions light candles to her on Feb 1st and reverently display her horrific image, a beautiful maiden chained to a stone wall, surrounded by flames.

PRAYER 4

THE LONELY SOUL

(Cuban version)

Overcast Soul, Lonely Soul, nobody calls for you !
call for you. No one has need of you, have need of you
no one wants you because they presumed you are not
welcome in Heaven, since you now reside in a Hellish
region. Ride this boat of horses and strike into the
Tartar Forest, from where you shall take three branches
from a special tree. One you'll give to the Spirit of
Desolation, the other to the unruly Spirit, and with
the third branch I beg you to strike my name of man
here, So that he may know no rest until he lets me
subjugate him to my own and pleasure. He won't be
able to find rest, not sitting, not lying down, not eating,
nor with a white woman or a black one, not with a
mulatto woman, nor with an Asian. He won't be able to
have a conversation with any woman until he comes
back to me like a dog to its master, humbled at my
feet AGAIN.

This prayer is to be recited at noon and midnight
and an oil lamp should be kept lit behind the door until
the desired end is reached.

PRAYER 5

ANOTHER PRAYER TO THE LONELY SOUL

(Modo)

*O Lord, offer my prayers for the salvation of the
Lonely Soul. With your Divine Majesty and Love Direct
your Merciful Eyes to the lonely Soul. Amen*



STORY OF SAINT ANTHONY

Equivalent Orisha: Elegua
Feast Day: June 13th

Born at Lisbon, 1195; died at Vercelli, 13 June, 1231 his father was Martin Bouillon, descendant of the renowned Godfrey de Bouillon, commander of the First Crusade, and his mother, Theresia Tavera, descendant of Froila I, fourth king of Asturias. At the age of fifteen, joined the Canons Regular of St. Augustine, in the convent of St. Vincent, just outside the city walls (1210). Two years later to avoid being distracted by relatives and friends, who frequently came to visit him, he betook himself with permission of his superior to the Convent of Santa Croce in Coimbra (1212), where he remained for eight years, occupying his time mainly with study and prayer. Gifted with an excellent understanding and a prodigious memory, he soon gathered from the Sacred Scriptures and the writings of the Holy Fathers a treasure of theological knowledge.

The year 1220, having been conveyed into the Church of Santa
e the bodies of the first Franciscan martyrs, who had suffered
at Morocco, 16 January of the same year he too was inflamed
in the desire of martyrdom, and resolved to become a Friar Minor,
so he might preach the Faith to the Saracens and suffer for Christ's
sake. Having confided his intention to some of the brethren of the
Convent of Olivares (near Coimbra), who came to beg alms at the Abbey
of Canong Regular he received from their hands the Franciscan
habit in the same Convent of Santa Croce. Thus Ferdinand (his
name) left the Canons Regular of St. Augustine to join the
Friars Minor taking at the same time the new name of Anthony.

St. Anthony is known as a sublime preacher, a miracle-worker who understood the language of dumb beasts, the man who played with a so-called Child Jesus, and the second most popular Franciscan saint after Francis himself. He is the patron saint of marriage, of animals, and of finding lost things.

PRAYER 6 ST. ANTHONY

On Wondrous Saint Anthony, glorious & demonstrated by thy miracles renown and by the gesture of Our Lord, who came to you as a little child to be held in thine arms. Obtain for me from Our Lord's great bounty the grace ardently wish for in the depths of my heart. Thou who was so loving towards the lowest of the low, look not upon my unorthodoxies, but to the Glory of God that may be again magnified by the granting of this wish.

PRAYER OUR LADY OF CHARITY TOWNSHIP OF EL COBRE, CUBA

According to tradition the first vestiges of the present church were built by the Indians. In 1519 when Juan Ponce de Leon came to Cuba he was accompanied by his son Don Alvaro and his brother Don Diego. They were followed by a large number of Indians who had come to the island to help the Spaniards. One day while the Indians were working they were attacked by a fierce storm. They took refuge in a small hut which was built near the shore. Inside the hut there was a small statue of the Virgin Mary. The Indians were afraid and asked the Virgin for protection. She appeared to them and told them that they would be safe if they carried her with them. They did so and the storm passed. They returned to their work and found that the hut had been destroyed. They took the statue with them and built a new hut. This became the first church in Cuba.

Know O my beloved Virgin, that I am the chosen
and elect of Your Son (that is to say who bears in my
great power and because my services must always
carry my master as a title or like position to keep
them). O my O the merciful O protectress Virgin I
ask that You free my soul from all sins, from unrepented
sins from sins of omission and from sins of
omission and sins of pride. I also ask that You free my soul
from all sins of pride. A very great carry of my
sins must be purged, but please be burdened by
your beloved soul as we say "To Concord with
our Angels". O my O my Queen and my Lady. I ask
this prayer not less as a voice of prayer to a woman
but also of the young flock being and the newly flocks
and the lambs. As Christ even under the cross suffered
for us, I implore the Virgin on her cross which she
does bear upon of the cross over the people in
remembrance of the Virgin most Pure I suffered during
the birth of her Lord, pains that were caused by God
most merciful which I give up to the important
in this other opportunity of carrying her dear Cross.
Amen. Amen.



STORY OF SAINT BARBARA

Equivalent Orisha Shango
Feast Day: Dec. 4th

St. Barbara was the extremely beautiful daughter of a very shy heathen named Dioscorus, who lived near Nicomedia in Asia Minor. Because of her singular beauty and fearful that she be demanded in marriage and taken away from him, he jealously shut her up in a tower to protect her from the outside world.

Shortly before embarking on a journey, he commissioned a sumptuous bathhouse to be built for her, personally approving the three window design before he departed. As her belief became firm, she directed that the builders redesign the bathhouse her father had planned, adding another window so that the three windows might symbolize the Holy Trinity.

When her father returned, he was enraged at the changes and infuriated when Barbara acknowledged that she was a Christian. He dragged her before the prefect of the province, named Marcellus, who decreed that she be tortured and put to death by beheading. Dioscorus himself carried out the death sentence. On his way home he was struck by lightning and killed.

Saint Barbara died on December 4th, 306 A.D. She was venerated as early as the seventh century. The legend of the lightning bolt which struck down her persecutor caused her to be regarded as the patron saint in times of danger from thunderstorms, fire, and sudden death.

When gunpowder made its appearance in the Western world, Saint Barbara was invoked for aid against accidents resulting from explosions—since some of the earlier artillery pieces often blew up instead of firing their projectile, Saint Barbara became the patroness of the artillerymen.

PRAYER 9 SAINT BARBARA

Oh God, keep away from me all those malignant and mischievous beings who would stalk me. I seek you out, St. Barbara, do you may confound them. Keep them at bay, and as I call upon you, offering my heart and life to you, divine Christian protection whose bosom is unclouding of all good beings, cleanse me with your martyr's blood so that those who attempt to do evil to me will end up in Hell. Amen.

(This prayer is to be read on Tuesdays and Fridays. After each reading, three Our Fathers and three Hail Marys are to be recited. The prayer should be done a total of six times over a three-week period for protection).

STORY OF OUR LADY OF MERCY

La Virgen de las Mercedes

Equivalent: Orches Obrales

Feast Day: Sept. 24th

In the year 1218 St. Peter Nolasco and James I, King of Aragon and Valencia, experienced separately a vision of the Most Holy Virgin who urged them to found a religious order dedicated to rescuing the many Christian captives held by the Moslems. This Order of Our Lady of Mercy, approved as a military order in 1225 by Pope Gregory IX, was able to rescue thousands of Christian prisoners, and later became dedicated to teaching and social work. The Mercedarian friars' habit imitates the

garments worn by the Virgin when she appeared to the founder of the order. The image of the Virgin of Mercy is dressed all in white over her long tunic she wears a scapular with the shield of the order imprinted breast high. A cloak covers her shoulders and her long hair is veiled by a fine lace mantilla. Some images have her standing, with the child in her arms, and others with her arms extended showing a ray of scepter in her right hand and in the left open handcuffs, a symbol of liberation.

PRAYER TO TO THE MOST HOLY VIRGIN, OUR LADY OF MERCY

Most Holy Virgin Mary of Mercy, Mother of God and by this august quality deserving of the most profound respect from angels and humans alike, one of your children, have from a tender age considered you my patron and advocate in heaven. Since then, every single boon, every grace and every good thing that has happened to me has been through your intercession. You are powerful in front of your most precious Son. Help me remain faithful to you throughout the days of my mortal existence, oh Virgin, so that in the afterlife my merit being with you. Thanks to your infinite mercy and glory. Amen.

STORY OF THE MOST HOLY VIRGIN OUR LADY OF REGLA

La Virgen de Regla

Equivalent Orishas Yemaya

Feast Day: Sept. 8th, or, in some houses, Sept. 12th

- In 1660, in the sugar cane plantation known as Guacanare, first modest shrines to La Virgen de la Regla de San Agustin.
- invocation of Mary popular among sailors, was first erected a more proper church was made on the site of the original shrine, and a new image of the Virgin was enthroned in the altar. With their well-known passion for abbreviation, Cubans gave the name of "The Virgin of Saint Augustine's Order" to "The Queen of Order" ("regla" means, among other things, order). The number of devotees which grew around the small church became known as "Regla" also, eventually becoming a small town, which is still there.
- At some point the Cuban Virgen de Regla became independent, long-standing Abuelita's right, and is now officially considered the "Queen of Our Lady"

PRAYER II THE MOST HOLY VIRGIN OUR LADY OF REGLA

- one of the translations of the word "regla" is "rule" or "order" many have erroneously translated the Black Madonna's name as "Our Lady of Rules." In reality she is named for the township of Havana harbor that features a shrine to the Virgin in the township Plaza, which itself was named for the Virgin of the Order of St. Augustin. "regla" means "order"

Oh most holy and sweetest Virgin Mary. Mother of God, daughter of the Most Absolute King. Ruler of



STORY OF SAINT LAZARUS

San Lazaro

Equivalent Oriente: Dabalu Atys
Feast Day: Dec 17th

The Lazarus of popular piety is a mixture of two characters named in the Bible. One is Lazarus, the brother of Mary and Martha of Bethany, friend of Jesus, whom he resurrected. The other Lazarus features in a parable told by Jesus, and is described as a poor man who lived off the crumbs of the rich man, but on the other side was enthroned in Heaven. The rich man agonized in Hell. Somehow both Lazaruses became the one in popular veneration.

PRAYER 12 ST. LAZARUS

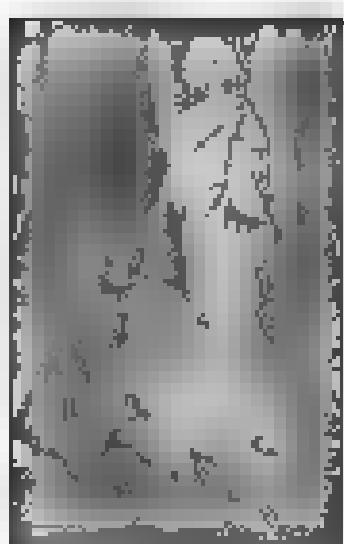
Oh Blessed and Glorious St. Lazarus of Bethany
Protector and supporter of Martha and Mary. I call on
you, oh beloved and always vivid spirit of grace with the
same faith that Jesus called you at the entrance of
your tomb, from which you emerged after having been
entombed for four consecutive days without showing any
signs of impurities or decay. Oh Holy Spirit, I call upon
you with the same faith that God had in you to consider
and grant what I ask for in this prayer. Amen.

PRAYER 13

SAINT LAZARUS

Patron saint of the poor, I call upon thy spirit to set off thou a favor, hold in my hands a crucifix and a medal bearing thy name, call on thee to do justice for me at all times. Before in thee, Saint Lazarus, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, may thou judge the merit of my request, relying on thy infinite goodness through thy intercession with Jesus Christ. Amen

Say your request, make the sign of the Cross



STORY OF RAPHAEL

San Rafael

Equivalent Orphic: Iris
Feast day: October 24th

The archangel Raphael is the custodian of humanity. It is said that an old man named Tobias, who had a son by the same name, was suffering from a disease that left him blind. Walking around, the younger Tobias met Raphael who was in human form. While bathing in the River Tigris, young Tobias was attacked by a huge fish. Raphael told Tobias to grab the fish, and he did. Raphael then taught Tobias how to make medicine out of the fish's entrails. With this medicine, Tobias cured his father and many others.

PRAYER TO SAINT RAPHAEL ARCHANGEL

Lord, dear Father, come to you with my soul.
Repose in you my body, so now have I come to you.
I am here at your feet, I want you to quiet and know me and
all the sins I have committed and taught in this present life.
I am a good son, but I have sinned in my fleshly body. Please me
to come to you, please me this last day and on the morrow.
Please my soul and every creature of my soul and body and
my soul by itself. Let the Devil's soul and body and
flesh and bones not be the master of my soul.
I am not strong in this life (for the soul and body), you give
me strength from your hand to protect me and help me
and give me a crown in heaven, you bring me your grace, from
you, you make me live and let me die for you. You bring me
the grace from the angels of God and give me to the
angels of God to help me; and I will thank you all and thank you
as to my heart of mine help and be grateful to whom I
over my body and heart. I beg you all to help me
not to sin again and again. I do not want to sin the
estimated time of my life. From the time I was born
to the time I die, I want to sin no more. I want to be
a good son to my parents, son to my father and
son to my mother. Very, very much I want to sin no more.

I want that I can't sin by my own free will, and
that I can't sin by my own free will, and just my heart will
decide how.



STORY OF SAINT THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS

Sainte Thérèse de Jésus
Equivalent Oristat Osh
Feast day: October 1

Educated by the Benedictines when she was fifteen she applied for permission to enter the Carmelite Order, and refused by the Superior, went to Rome. Her Father, so eager to give her to God as she was to give herself, to seek the consent of the Holy Father who was then celebrating his jubilee. He preferred to leave the decision in the hands of the Superior who finally consented and on 9 April 1897 at the unusual age of fifteen, Therese Martin entered the convent of Lisieux where two of her sisters had preceded her.

The account of the eleven years of her religious life marked by signal graces and constant growth in holiness, is given by Sister Therese in her autobiography, written in obedience to her superior and published two years after her death, in 1901. It was translated into English, and in 1912 another translation, the first complete edition of the *Life of the Servant of God*, containing the autobiography, "Letters and Spiritual Commentaries" was published. Its success was immediate and it has passed into many editions, spreading far and wide the devotion to this "Little" saint of simplicity, and abandonment in God's service, of the perfect accomplishment of small duties.

The fame of her sanctity and the many miracles performed through her intercession caused the introduction of her cause of canonization only 17 years after her death, 10 Jun. 914.

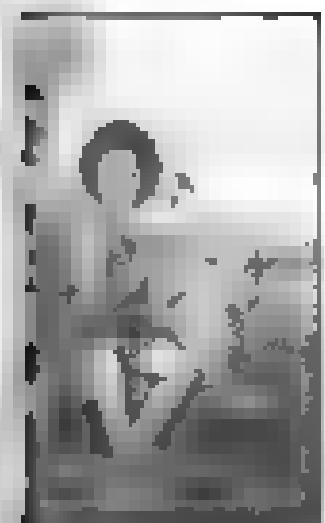
PRAYER 15 TO SAINT THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS

My Lord and my God, I have realized that whoever undertakes to do anything for the sake of earthly things or to earn the praise of others deceives himself. Today one thing pleases the world, tomorrow another. What is praised on one occasion is denounced on another. Blessed be You, my Lord and my God, for You are unchangeable for all eternity. Whoever serves You faithfully to the end will enjoy life without end in eternity.

Actus.

STORY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

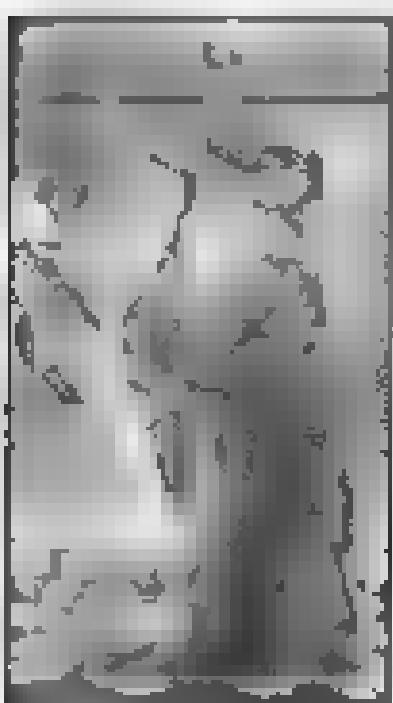
*Equivalent Orisha: Ogun (some say St. Peter)
Feast Day: June 24th*



Cousin of Jesus, baptized the Lord in the river Jordan, thus considered by Christians the greatest prophet. He died when Salome, stepdaughter of King Herod, asked for his head on a silver platter after having danced so well -ing during a birthday party that he offered her "Anything even half my kingdom." What the evil young woman asked and by her mother, the queen, was the head of John the Baptist "on a silver platter." In this fashion, John the Baptist a martyr before Jesus himself suffered at Calvary.

PRAYER 16 SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

Most glorious St. John the Baptist, precursor of my Lord Jesus Christ, handsome star of the best sun, Heaven's trumpet, voice of the eternal Word, the greatest among saints, herald of the King of Glory; more a son of glory than of nature, and for these and all other reasons, most powerful prince in Heaven. Help me reach that which I hope to get, if it be good for my soul. If not, then give me perfect resignation with abundant grace, so that God's friendship may be mine, thus securing for me the eternal joys to be found in glory. Amen. Our Father. Hail Mary. Glorie. Salve.



STORY OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Equivalent Omaha; Omaha (Mo.)

Feast Day: October 4th.

Founder of the Franciscan Order, born at

Acri in Umbria in 1182,

died there on October 3rd, 1226.

Saint Francis, the son of a merchant of Acri, was born in that city in 1182. Chosen by God to be a living manifestation to the world of Christ's poor and suffering life on earth, he was early inspired with a high esteem and burning love of poverty and humiliation.

The thought of the Man of Sorrows, who had not where to lay His

led him with holy envy of the poor and constrained him to the wealth and worldly station which he abhorred. The scorn and usage which he met with from his father and kinsmen when showing them in the garb of poverty made daily trials to him.

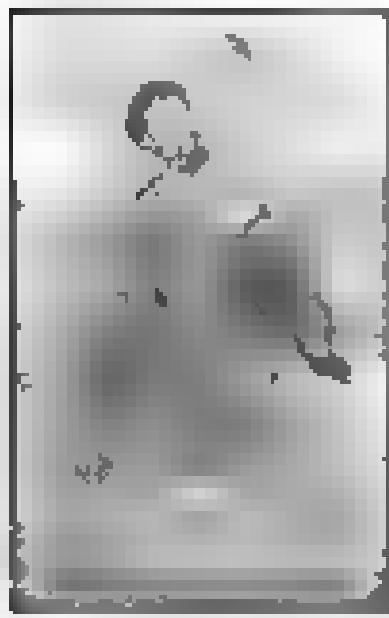
"no conditio," said say truly. 'Our Father who art in heaven' the love burned in him too mighty not to trouble the dreams of hearts. Many joined themselves to him, and were constituted by himself into a religious Order which spread rapidly throughout Europe. St. Francis, after visiting the East in the vain quest of spiritual life his Divine Master now in preaching to multitudes, now amid desert solitudes in fasting and contemplation, one of these rewards he received on his hands, feet, and side, parts of the five bleeding wounds of Jesus. With the cry, "Welcome, death," he passed to glory on October 4, 1226.

PRAYER 17 SAINT FRANCIS

My Lord Jesus, Light and Splendor of the Eternal Father, you who with so many lights illuminated the corruptile St. Francis, defending him against the hellish horsem that sought to destroy him. I implore, oh Lord, that you may enlighten my thoughts so that I be able to recounce the sins that against your divine majesty I've committed, and that by with contrite heart confessing them, I may dedicate my life and death to you. Amen.

PRAYER 18 ST. FRANCIS'S PEACE PRAYER

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace;
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
and where there is sadness, joy.
Grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to console;
to be understood, as to understand;
to be loved as to love;
for it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying [to ourselves] that we are born to
eternal life.



STORY OF ST. CHRISTOPHER

Equivalent: Criophor, Agnus

Feast day: July 25th

Christopher, a very tall man, made a living carrying people across a river on his shoulders. One day a tiny child asked that Christopher carry him across. Midway, the child became so heavy that Christopher had to turn back. Astonished, he asked the child about his weight. "I have the weight of the

"whole world on my shoulders, Christopher." Understanding that the Christ appearing in the guise of a child, Christopher became a man, eventually dying for his god.

ST. CHRISTOPHER

Grant the following to those who invoke you, glorious martyr Saint Christopher, allow them to be preserved from epidemics and earthquakes, from the rages of storms, fires, and floods. Protect us with your intercession during life from the calamities that Providence may hold for us. During death free us from corrections, assuring us during our last hour, that we may reach eternal good will. Amen.

STORY OF OUR LADY OF CANDLEMAS

Equivalent Orisha: Oya Feast day: February 2

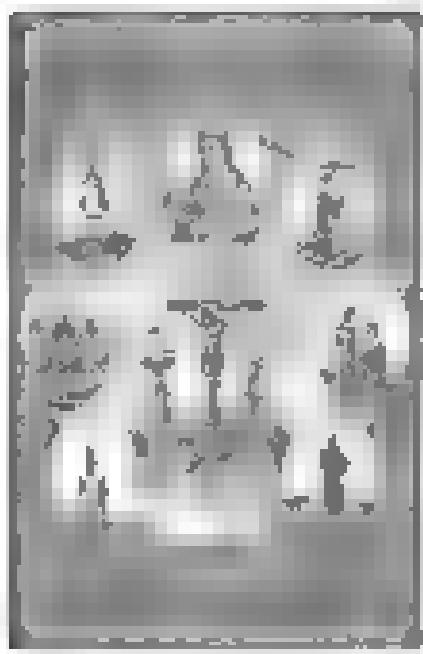
Candlemas is also called the "purification of the Blessed Virgin" and "Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple." It is observed forty days after the birth of Christ, who was presented by his parents to the temple (Numbers 18:15), and purified by the prayer of Simeon the just. In the presence of Anna the prophetess (Luke 2:22 sqq.). No doubt this event, the first solemn entry of Christ into the house of God, was in the earliest times celebrated in the Church of Jerusalem. The solemn procession of candles depicts the entry of Christ, who is the light of the World, into our

Temple of Jerusalem. When Our Lady is in this guise, she is known as "Our Lady of Candlemas."

PRAYER 20
OUR LADY OF CANDLEMASS
ALSO KNOWN AS "HAL, O QUEEN OF HEAVEN"

Welcome, O Queen of Heaven.
Welcome, O Lady of Angels.
Hail! Thou root, hail!
Thou gate from whom unto the world, a light has shone;
rejoice, O glorious Virgin,
lovely beyond all others,
farewell, most beautiful maiden,
and pray for us to Christ.

V. Allow me to praise thee, O sacred Virgin
R. Against thy enemies give me strength
Grant unto us, O merciful God, a defense against our
weakness, that we who remember the holy Mother of
God, by the help of her intercession, may flee from our
iniquities, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.



PRAYER 21 THE SEVEN AFRICAN POWERS

Oh Seven Powers that are saints among saints! Humility, kneel before your miraculous image, asking for your help before God. Oh Heavenly Father who protects us all when we are happy or sad, I ask you in the name of Almighty Jesus Christ for this petition (say your request). Now once again I have peace of mind and material prosperity. Keep away from my house all harm and evil which may cause me hardship. May they never return. My heart tells me this petition is just and will be granted, if granted, it will glorify your name forever. Jesus Christ in the name of the Father, Son, and the Holy Ghost. Listen Shango! I call upon you. Oshun! Help me. Temeyal! Look upon me with grace. Obatala! Come to me. Ogung! Be good to me. Orisha! Intercede for me. Elegua! All Seven African Powers in the names of Olofi, grant my request.

PRAYER 22

THE MOST GLORIOUS ELEGUA

To the Lord of All Paths, Illustrious warrior, immortal prince, I offer this humble prayer. Keep away from my abode all manner of evil and guard my home and those who reside in it when I'm awake or asleep, present or not. I ask Olori God to bless you, Elegua, beloved Lord of All Roads. Aho!

PRAYER 23

PRAYER TO CHANGO MACHO

Oh spirit of Chango Macho, mysterious warrior king who has power over our future. Watch over me. I humbly pray that you light my path and bless my existence with good fortune and love. Allow me to succeed in my job, business, and at the games of chance you guide me to, so that I can meet my needs and be joyful and at peace.

I kneel before your image, I admire your power, strength, and wisdom, and I ask for your benevolence in the name of God Almighty. Protect me from all evil intentions, influences, and thoughts. I shan't retreat because you've vanquished my enemies!

*Chango, guide and protector. Grant me
In the name of the Father, the Son, and
the Holy Ghost, Amen*

PRAYER 24

YEMAYÁ

Goddess of the Sea

Oh Holy Sweet Virgin Mary, favored by the Almighty King, Lady of Angels, Mother of God, Merciful Queen, Boundless in Pity. As in the days of old when the treacherous went to your temples in search of sanctuary, so do we now seek comfort in your abode as you show us your mercy in many ways.

Sailors in great storms invoke your name as the lady of Regia, thereby freeing themselves of fear. Before embarking, they give you offerings in your church in Regia, thus assuring themselves of safe travel.

Those being haunted find solace in your image.

The sick become well through your intercession, even those with fevers, broken bones, and anemic.

Bring health and strength to those worthy to receive it. My hope, dear Lady, is that through your intercession we receive what we ask for in prayer. Although we know that, because of our faults, we do not deserve what we ask for, we beg you nevertheless to answer our prayers. Amen.



STORY OF SAINT MARTIN

Feast Day: November 3

Patron saint of barbers,
Peru, poor people.

Born 9 December 1579 at Lima, Peru. Illegitimate son of a nobleman and a young freed slave. He grew up in poverty. Spent part of his youth with a slave barber from whom he learned some medicine and care of the sick.

At age 11 he became a servant in the Dominican priory. Promised alms, he begged more than \$2,000 a week from the rich so as to help the poor and sick of Lima. Placed in charge of the Dominican infirmary for his tender care of the sick and for his spectacular cures, superiors dropped the stipulation that "no black person may be admitted to the holy habit or profession of our order" and Martin took vows as a Dominican brother.

Established an orphanage and children's hospital for the children of the slaves, set up a shelter for the stray cats and nursed them back to health. Lived a self-imposed austerity, ate meat, fasted continuously. And spent much time in prayer meditation. Great devotion to the Eucharist. Friend of Saint John of the Cross.

He was venerated from the day of his death. Many miraculous including raising the dead attributed to Brother Martin. First American saint.

Died 1639 of fever. Beatified 1873. Canonized 16 May 1962
Pope John XXIII

PRAYER 25

SAINT MARTIN OF PORRES

Oh most merciful God! You gave us a perfect model of humility, abnegation, and charity in Martin of Porres. Without looking at his lowly birth you made him great and glorified in your heavenly kingdom, amidst choirs of angels! Look at us with compassion and make Martin's intercession a reality for us.

To you most blessed Martin, who lived only for God and for your fellow beings, you who so solicitously looked after the needy, tended to us who admired your actions and virtues and praised the Lord who so much praised you. Make us feel the effects of your great charity, praying for us to the Lord who so highly rewarded your meritorious acts with eternal glory. Amen.

PRAYER 26

SAINT JOHN BOSCO

O glorious Saint John Bosco, who in order to lead young people to the feet of the divine Master and to mold them in the light of faith and Christian morality, didst heroically sacrifice thyself to the very end of thy life and didst set up a proper religious institute destined to endure and to bring to the farthest boundaries of the earth thy glorious work. Obtain also for us from Our Lord a holy love for young people who are exposed to many seductions in order that we may generously

spend ourselves in supporting them against the snarls of the devil, in keeping them safe from the dangers of the world, and in guiding them, pure and holy, in the path that leads to God. Amen.



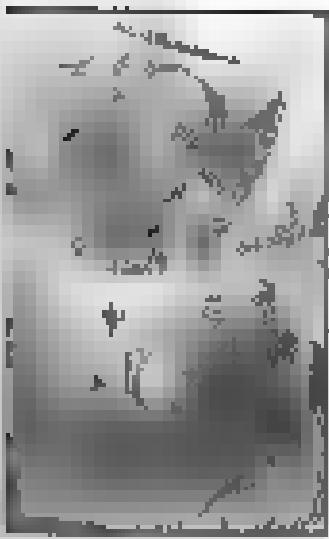
PRAYER 27 SAINT JUDE

St. Jude, glorious Apostle, faithful servant and friend of Jesus, the name of the traitor has caused you to be forgotten by many. But, the true Church invokes you universally as the Patron of things despaired of.

Pray for me, who am so miserable. Pray for me, that finally I may receive the consolation and the succor of Heaven in all my necessities, tribulations and sufferings. Particularly,

(here make your request.)

and that I may bless God with the Elect throughout Eternity. Amen.



PRAYER 28 SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and enmity of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,

By the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

PRAYER 29 SAINT DYONYSIUS' LOVE PRAYER

O God the Father, good beyond all that is good, fair beyond all that is fair, in whom is calmness, peace, and concord; do thou make up the dissensions which divide us from each other, and bring us back into a unity of love which divides us from each other and bring us back into a unity of love which may bear some likeness to thy divine nature. And as thou art above all things, make us one by the unanimity of good mind; that through the embrace of charity and the bonds of affection, we may be wonderfully one, as well in ourselves as in each other through that peace of mind which maketh all things peaceful. And through the grace, mercy, and tenderness of thy Son Jesus Christ. Amen.



PRAYER 30 SACRED HEART OF JESUS

O God, Who dost deign mercifully to bestow upon us infinite treasures of love in the Heart of Thy Son, which was wounded for our sins;
grant me to beseech Thee,
that we who pay Him the devout
homage of our piety,
may in like manner show unto Thee
our due of worthy satisfaction.

Through the same Christ our Lord.
Amen.

PRAYER 31 OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Our Lady of Guadalupe, mystical rose, intercede for the Church, protect the Holy Father, help all who invoke You in their necessities. Since You are the ever Virgin Mary and Mother of the True God, obtain for us from Your Most Holy Son the grace of a firm and undying hope amid bitterness of life, as well as an ardent love and the precious gift of true perseverance.

Dearest Lady, fruitful Mother of Holiness, teach me Your ways of gentleness and strength. Hear my prayer, offered with deep felt confidence to beg this favor.

O Mary, conceived without sin, I come to your throne of grace to share the fervent devotion of your faithful Mexican children who call to Thee under the glorious title "Guadalupe" - the Virgin who crushed the serpent.

Queen of Martyrs, whose Immaculate Heart was pierced by seven swords of grief, help me to walk valiantly amid the sharp thorns strown across my path. I invoke the Holy Spirit of Wisdom to fortify my will to frequent the Sacraments so that, thus enlightened and strengthened, I may prefer God to all creatures and shun every occasion of sin.

Help me, as a living branch of the Vine that is Jesus Christ, to exemplify His divine charity always seeking the good of others. Queen of Apostles, aid me to win souls for the Sacred Heart of my Savior. Keep my apostolate fearless, dynamic, and articulate, to proclaim the loving solicitude of Our Father in Heaven so that the wayward may heed His pleading and obtain pardon, through the merits of Your Merciful Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



STORY OF ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO

Feast day November 4th

Charles was the son of Count Gilbert and Margaret Medici, sister of Pope Paul IV. He was born at the family castle of Arona on Maggiore Lake on October 2. He received clerical tonsure when he was twelve and went to the Benedictine abbey of S. Giacomo Felino at Arona for his education.

In 1553 his uncle was elected Pope Pius IV and the following year named him his Secretary of State and created him a cardinal administrator of the See of Milan. He served as Pius' legate on diplomatic missions and in 1562, was instrumental in having reconvoked the Council of Trent, which had been suspended in 1547. Charles played a leading role in guiding and influencing the third and last group of sessions. He refused the headship of the Borromeo family on the death of Count Frederick Borromeo, ordained a priest in 1563, and was consecrated bishop of Milan same year.

He died at Milan on the night of November 3-4, and was buried in 1564. He was one of the towering figures of the Catholic Reformation, a man of learning and the arts, and though he achieved a great power he used it with humility, personal sanctity, unselfishness to reform the Church of the period and influence among the clergy and the nobles of the times.

PRAYER 32

ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO

Almighty God, you have generously made known to human beings the mysteries of your life through Jesus Christ your Son in the Holy Spirit.

Enlighten my mind to know these mysteries which your Church treasures and teaches.

Move my heart to love them and my will to live in accord with them.

Give me the ability to teach this Faith to others without pride, without ostentation, and without personal gain.

Let me realize that I am simply your instrument for bringing others to the knowledge of the wonderful things you have done for all your creatures.

Help me to be faithful to this task that you have entrusted to me.

Amen.

PRAYER 33

ST. CHARLES BORROMEEO

O Saintly reformer, animator of spiritual renewal of priests and religious, you organized true seminaries and wrote a standard catechism,

inspire all religious teachers and authors of catechetical books.

Move them to love and transmit only that which can form true followers of the Teacher who was divine.
Amen.

PRAYER 34 HOLY CROSS OF CARAVACA

Advocate against lightning, storms, and tempests.

About the sovereign cross, oh Lord, so miraculous and prodigious, a thousand eloquent voices are raised in praise of its power, for no pen can write of its incalculable potency.

From the heavens above, choirs of angels descend to praise this cross, for so many miraculous deeds it performs, that it is truly a wonder.

Men, women, and children should carry with them the Cross that came down from the heavens to serve them as comfort; may it keep us from the claws of the fierce Dragon.

The lame, the crippled, the dumb and the blind, all find comfort in the Cross; so beautiful that Christ chose it as his spouse.

From heaven it was sent by the eternal Father, so we may ponder its mysteries here on earth.

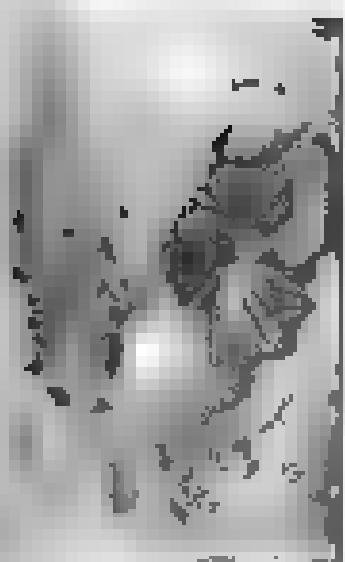
The seraphim sing its praises with diaphanous voices; the cross made by Christ to serve as our comfort.

You may call yourself "most fortunate Caravaca," for you serve as banner for all that is heavenly, you Holy Cross, where Our Lord gave his life.

All travelers travel without fear by land or sea, so long as they carry this cross with them.

Great are the mysteries hidden by this Cross; let us say. Blessed be the Cross in this my holy scribbled along with its denizens.

From unexpected deaths, fires, thefts, and many other dangers the holy Cross that's found rest in the arms of Christ saves us.



PRAYER 35 THE THREE THEOLOGICAL VIRTUES

Oh Omnipotent God! Father of all that exists, Bountiful, Magnanimous, make me never reject FAITH, so that I may love and cherish you.

Oh Christ, Son of God, redeemer of mankind and exemplary model of humility and docility, infill me my animus with enough energy to make HOPE the comforting balsam that will help me complete my life's destiny with dignity.

Oh Most Holy Mother of Christ! Queen of Heaven and epitome of purity and virtue, you who prodigiously offered CHARITY to all who needed it, deign to bring to my heart the reflection of your radiant intervention so that I also may share with the needy some of the material goods I possess.

And with all of these virtues, FAITH, HOPE, and CHARITY, reverently actualized, I beg you to grant

what I ask in this prayer, if such a petition is for my good. Know, I will continue to practice the three virtues and breathe my last breath. Amen

PRAYER 36 SAINT INNES OF THE WOODS (Santa Ines del Monte)

Oh Sovereign God, infinitely gracious in allowing human hearts to find solace in your bosom, with the soft magnet of your divine bounty you attracted the noble SAINT INNES OF THE WOODS of Assisi, who for your love rejected all of the vain promises that the world offered her who gave up riches and even her own parents to embrace with valor the cross of mortification so that helped by your Divine Majesty she could become the spouse of the Lord in the seraphic order of her enlightened sister and mother Saint Clare whom she emulated with fervor, leaving an exemplary rule model of all of her perfect virtues.

Allow us, Lord, through your intercession, to be able to answer yourself being attracted only by your ineffable goodness. Let us turn away from all base flatulence and worldly convenience so that by imitating her virtues we may also embrace in this life the cross of mortification and, in this manner, we may also link our souls with your Divine Majesty in the celestial paradise of glory. Amen



STORY OF GABRIEL

"Fons Iudee", The Strength of the Lord
One of the three archangels mentioned in the Bible. In the New Testament, he foretells to Zachary the birth of John the Baptist, the Precursor, and to Mary, that of the Saviour. Thus he is thought of as the angel of the incarnation and of Consolation, and so in Christian tradition Gabriel is ever the angel of consolation, while Michael is rather the angel of judgment.

PRAYER 37 SAINT GABRIEL THE ARCHANGEL

Oh most glorious prince of Heaven's court, most excellent Saint Gabriel, God's prime minister, friend of Jesus, and most favored by his holy mother Mary, Defender of the Church, advocate of mankind, you who so favors your devotees, teach me to love and serve, oh glorious Gabriel, and truly you obtain from Our Lord for me that which I want and request through this prayer, for the greater honor and glory of the Lord and benefit to my soul. Amen.

With great confidence and devotion, ask now for the favor you seek.



STORY OF THE POWERFUL HAND OF GOD

The upward-pointing late Roman image of Power talisman continues in popularity today in the form of the Roman Catholic Powerful Hand (Mana Poderosa) in Spain which is sold on holy cards and as a scapular with two candles. The meaning of the hand is the same as in ancient times - may it bring protection and benediction but in the modern Catholic version, the fingers are all held upright, as is the thumb, and various saints and angels are standing on and around the digits.

PRAYER 40 THE POWERFUL HAND OF GOD

(Say your request, then read the prayer)

Here I come with the faith of a Christian soul looking
For your mercy while under such anguished
circumstances. Leave me not without your shelter. If
a door opens to me that would not serve me, let it be
your Powerful Hand that shuns it for me! And if such
door leads to my happiness and the peace I have longed
for, then by all means leave it open. At your feet I leave
this place, from a soul so hurt by fate that without your
Powerful Hand it cannot think of rising. Oh God,
please forgive any fault I may possess and grant me
strength that I may yet triumph for your honor and
glory. Amen. Our Father who art in heaven...

PRAYER 41 THE MOST POWERFUL ARM

(Start off by reciting the Apostles Creed,

Oh Powerful Arm, strong Divine. Now that a bad mood
envelops my soul, tearing my heart with desperation
and hope, I come to you because you epitomize superior
virtue, and all hearts are understood by your
compassion. As you have taken control of your inner
area, you understand the difficulties faced by us mere
mortals each day of our lives. You can also decide to
what degree our guilty and so what degree arm. Oh
Powerful Arm, you who in search of our redemption
became flesh and went through what those created by
your hand go through, you who by choice experienced all
manner of chance encounters with pain and suffering,
allowing your precious blood to be spilled so that your
doctrines and teachings could also be propagated
throughout creation, receive my supplication on this
day. grant me the following

Finish with three Credos, three Our Fathers, and one
Hail Mary three days in a row. If at first you don't
succeed, try again after asking at least three days to
have gone by.



STORY OF SAINT LUCY

A saint and martyr of Syracuse, Italy whose feast is celebrated the 13 Dec. Lucy was born of rich and noble parents about the year 283 A.D. Her father was of Roman origin, but his early death left her dependent upon her mother whom she loved. Fifty-five seems to indicate that our Saint of Syracuse died at the age of forty. Lucy had consecrated her virginity to God, and she hoped to devote a hermitage

to the service of the poor. Her mother was not so single minded, but insisted often upon health when Lucy could carry out her generous

The "face of the virgin martyr" (she had been martyred two years before in the life of persecution), was preserved miraculously by her relatives at Calabria, Italy, where St. Agathe, and many others had been brought through the

Intended was therefore performed to cure a hemorrhage, from which she suffered for several years. There are not a few such, and striking instances of the opportunity afforded her mother to do charitable acts among the poor. The greatest

The greed of the unruly youth to whom Lucy had been betrothed, and the denunciation to Postumus, the Governor, of Lucy in the year 303 during the fierce persecution of

The last trial of all confirmed to her the status of saint. But in the confusion of mind she stood remaining so that could not drag her away to the place of shame. During it was then seized about her and set on fire, and said in God's name to the fire, "nor shall thy hand O! burn me before the judgment of Postumus and the speedy remission of my

persecution, adding that Diocletian would reign no more, and he would meet his end. So, strengthened with the Bread of Life, she ran crown of virginity, and martyrdom.

PRAYER 42
SAINT LUCY
SPECIAL ADVOCATE FOR THOSE
WHO SUFFER FROM EYE MALADIES

Most glorious virgin and martyr St Lucy, whose acceptance into Heaven the Eternal Father foretold early on by setting her as a worthy daughter during her childhood the Son chosen from choosing her as a loving spouse, while the Holy Spirit found in her a worthy vessel I supplicately ask St Lucy that from the most Blessed Trinity you bring me a devout favor, and that just as your most fortunate soul began at a young age to serve God inflamed by the burning fire of love, without withdrawing from such worthy pursuits, the culmination of which was your earning of the double crown of virgin and martyr may I attain with your powerful help a true love towards God and that by loving and serving him in this life I may enjoy the privilege of seeing His joy in the sweet bye and bye. Amen.

With your precious eyes,
watch over us, lovely virgin.
Since it was God, sweet young damsel,
who made you a fierce martyr
Lucy, you who rejoiced in Heaven's great might,
have your Divine spouse guard over our eyesight
Ask for what you want and recite these Our Fathers
and Three Hail Marys.

SAINT CIPRIAN AND SAINT JUSTINE

Most glorious Saint Ciprian and your most loyal companion Saint Justine, who since childhood were blessed with the ecstasy of watching the statues of Jesus and Mary, contemplating their perfections; thus did you console your cries. Get for me from such benevolent Mother and Son the ability to seek nowhere else for solace but from the contemplation of their greatness, to whom I gave up all my vices and bad habits, giving myself wholly to be worthy of their bounties. Grant this, benevolent Ciprian, as well as the special request, have this day.

Amen

PRAYER 44 OUR LADY OF THE HOMELESS

Oh, Sovereign Queen, how my soul rejoices in the noble greatness of your power and elevated status, although I am an unworthy vessel who deserved the ignominy your precious son, my redeemer suffered for my faults and sins. Receive me, my lady, give me shelter, you who are my firm shake during the dangers and troubles life gives me.

Give me the grace to be able to give you my heart with devotion thus keeping your standards, but being attentive and prompt when it comes to recognizing the divine laws which rule over life everlasting.

_____, I swear to God and a Holy Cross
that you will follow me into the living behind the Cross
and the dead behind the Light.

*May these Our Fathers to the Summations Spirit
(Espíritu Intermedio) as God will grant my wish.*

Let all my past faults be erased from my soul, and I may get that which I need in order to attain tranquility and felicity as I traverse the various paths of eternity. Amen.

The first paragraph of this prayer is to be recited three times in honor of the three hours Our Lady suffered at the feet of Our Precious Lord, her Divine Son, while he hung on the cross. Then the whole prayer is to be read once from beginning to end.

PRAYER 45

Oh Sweet Jesus, on the Cross Crucified, only begotten son of the Eternal Father and the immaculate Virgin Mary! As a poor soul, I come to you, from Benevolent Lord, as a sickly creature I come to you, the True Physician, the only Giver of Health, which is the true meaning of your Most Holy name, Jesus; Do not permit me to stray from you before receiving comfort and solace at your feet; grant that which I ask out of the goodness of your heart, and that of your Mother's; pay no attention to my faults, for your

be forced to abandon me then: Look instead at all your merits, and then look upon me with pity, making me an heir of your Divine Glory.

Because of your merits I'll be able to reach that which I would have never been able to reach. From this moment on offer you my most heartfelt thanks for keeping me in your mercy, which will be forever praised. Amen.

PRAYER 46 THE NEEDY

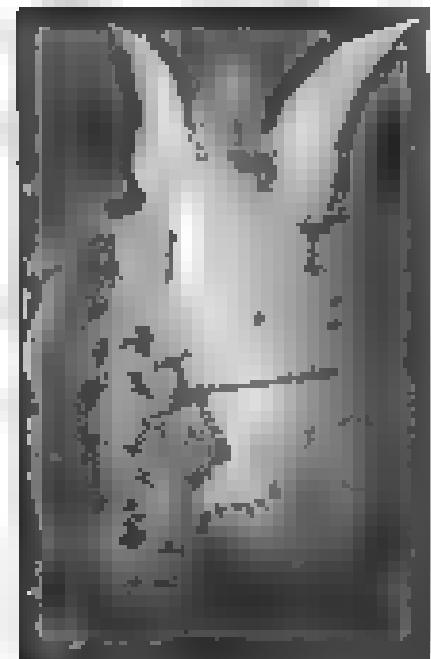
Oh God Almighty, Supreme Maker of the universe! Forgive this mortal if I have somehow offended you because of my ignorance. You who everything sees and by your infinite wisdom know, look upon the needs I have on this day and help me obtain my daily bread by way of honorable work or any other way that does not weigh heavily on my conscience.

Hear my plea, O Lord which I make from my heart, with the desire not to be delinquent in the performing of my duties and let those who owe me also keep their promises, so that my sustenance and that of my family will be taken care of, or my ideas can come to fruition if they be for my betterment and that of humanity.

Give me the strength to continue to face these trials that weaken my body and my spirit do this for me not because I'm proud, My God, but to make my mission tolerable as I deal with all the unexpected obstacles in

my way placed without having to deviate from my path.

I thank you, Lord, for your infinite bounty, for no one can doubt your mercy, and I know you will help me realize my idea, or the acquisition of the job I need. Amen.



PRAYER 47 THE GUARDIAN ANGEL

Protecting spirit who watches over me incessantly, you whose mission it is to guard me, whether because it brings you joy to do good, or because by so doing your spirit advances becomes pure, give me

During the night, as my spirit goes out into the unknown, take me where my dear departed are, so that they may help me by teaching me lessons I need to learn in order to deal with the problems of my life. Make suggestions to my imagination, giving it solutions to problems I will face during my waking hours.

Help me gain strength by observing nature, help me raise my tired spirit from the new battles it has met, battles that have weakened my hopes. Amen

STORY OF ST. APARICIO

Patron Saint of Animals Feast Day July 27

In Galicia, Spain, in the 500's, Sebastian de Aparicio was a saint and a lover of animals who had tremendous powers over wild beasts. He later went to Mexico, where he became a Franciscan monk. He died at the age of 95, his body remains

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PRAYER 48 ST. APARICIO

"St. Aparicio, beatified by the Catholic Church in 1787, was a person, his prayer seems to work with the principle of "like produces like" he is invoked to find lost articles because his name is "Aparicio," or to the Spanish word for "it was found," "APARECIO."

I pray to you, Saint Aparicio, that just as the Child God appeared through your power and patience, that which is lost and now look for may also appear and I call on your glorious name, may all my valuable lost articles reappear, as I travel through dangerous passages, may my guardian angel appear Help me so that Christ may the word "APPEAR" My lost articles will appear by way of Saint Aparicio's intercession. May all obstacles fall away by the power of Saint Aparicio. Do not turn a deaf ear to my heartfelt petitions, as I sing your praises. Amen, Jesus.

May all Christians praise the name of the sweet saint Aparicio. Who with the strength of his hand, will find my missing lost issue.

STORY OF ST. BLAISE

Patron of wild animals and healer of throat ailments
Feast Day: Feb. 3rd

In traditional Catholic communities, the blessing of the took place on St. Blaise's feast day, February 3rd. This day two are blessed held slightly open and pressed against the throat as blessing is said. Saint Blaise's protection of those with throat comes from a story that a boy was brought to him who had a stuck in his throat. The boy was about to die when Saint Blaise "him.

Very few facts are known about Saint Blaise. He was a saint Sevastus in Armenia who was martyred under the reign of the early fourth century.

He was born in to a rich and noble family who raised him Christian. After becoming a bishop, a new persecution of began. He received a message from God to go to the hills to persecuton. Men hunting in the mountains discovered a surrounded by wild animals who were sick. Among them Blaise was afraid, curing them of their illnesses. Recognizing Blaise as they captured him to take him back for trial. On the way back, he a wolf into releasing a pig that belonged to a poor woman. When was sentenced to be starved to death, the woman, in gratitude, into the prison with food and candles. Finally Blaise was killed by governor.

Blaise is the patron saint of wild animals because of his care shown and of those with throat maladies.

PRAYER 49
ST. BLAISE

Oh enlightened soul of the Lord! Oh saintly pontiff and martyr, strengthened by God! You found delight in calms, mild heats to obeyed you, monsters protected you, devils gave fruits to you, and Irenaeus kept you company. With innumerable miracles, you converted many gentiles to the faith of Jesus Christ. You saved those who had a bone stuck to their throats, becoming adept at performing such a miracle whenever a person so afflicted remembered to call your name! Look favorably upon those who call upon you with faith and devotion, so you may intercede for them, so that He who chose you and made you strong and glorious in heaven and earth will deliver us from all evil and the temptations posed by him, as well as from earthquakes and tremors, and, most important of all, may we be delivered from eternal damnation. Amen.

Keep this prayer with you at all times.



PRAYER 50

SAINT ANNE

Good St. Anne, you were especially favored by God to be the mother of the most holy Virgin Mary, the Mother of our Savior. By your power with your most pure daughter and with her divine Son, kindly obtain for us the grace and the favor we now seek. Please secure for us also forgiveness of our past sins, the strength to perform faithfully our daily duties and the help we need to persevere in the love of Jesus and Mary. Amen.

(This prayer is begun and is ended by invoking the Holy Trinity. Make your petition and make the sign of the cross.)

PRAYER 51

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS



O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer you the poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, Good Jesus, that I may live in you and for you. Protect me in the midst of danger. Comfort me in my afflictions. Give me health of body, assistance in my

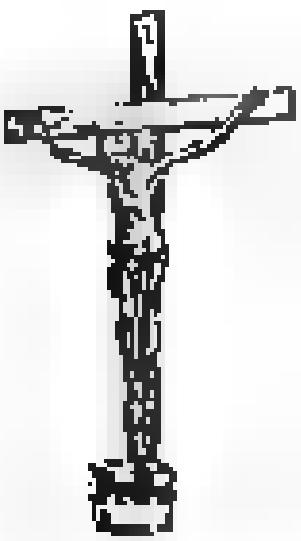
temporal needs, your blessing on all that I do, and the grace of a holy death. Amen.

PRAYER TO JESUS CRUCIFIED: How I am good and gentle Jesus, kneeling before you. With great fervor I pray and ask you to instill in me genuine convictions of faith, hope and love with true sorrow for my sins and a firm resolve to amend them. While I contemplate your five wounds with great love and compassion, I remember the words which the prophet David long ago put on your spa. "They have pierced my hands and my feet, I can count all my bones." (Psalm 22:17-18).

PRAYER 52 THE SHOULDER WOUND OF CHRIST

O loving Jesus, most Lamb of God, immaculate sinner salute and worship the most Sacred Wound of Thy Shoulder on which Thou didst bear Thy heavy Cross which so tore Thy flesh and laid bare Thy Bones as I inflict on Thee anguish greater than any other wound of Thy Most Blessed Body. I adore Thee, O Jesus most sorrowful; praise and glorify Thee, and give Thee thanks for this most sacred and painful Wound, treasuring Thee by this exceeding pain, and by the crushing burden of Thy heavy Cross so to merciful to me, a sinner, to forgive me all my mortal and venial sins, and to lead me on towards Heaven along the Way of Thy Cross. Amen.





PRAYER 53
INVOCATION IN HONOR OF
THE HOLY WOUNDS OF
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Wounds of Our Lord Jesus Christ to heal the wounds of our souls. My Jesus, pardon and mercy through the merits of Thy Sacred Wounds. Amen.

REPARATION
ACT OF REPARATION
TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

O sweet Jesus, Whose overflowing charity demands a requited by so much forgetfulness, negligence and contempt, behold us prostrate before Your altar (in Your presence) eager to repair by a special act of

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sincerely promise to make recompence, as far as we can with the help of Your grace, for all neglect of Your great love and for the sins we and others have committed in the past. Henceforth we will live a life of unwavering faith, of purity of conduct, of perfect observance of the precepts of the gospel and especially that of charity. We promise to the best of our power to prevent other from offending You and to bring as many as possible to follow You.

O loving Jesus, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, our model in reparation, deign to receive this voluntary offering we make of this act of expiation; and by the crowning gift of perseverance keep us faithful unto death in our duty and the allegiance we owe to You, so that we may one day come to that happy home, where You with the Father and the Holy Spirit live and reigns God, world without end. Amen.



PRAYER 55 CONSECRATION OF THE HUMAN RACE TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

O most Sweet Jesus, Redeemer of the Human race! before Your Altar sin your presence). To You we belong; Yours we wish to be and that we may be united to You more closely, we dedicate ourselves each one of us today to Your most Sacred Heart.

Mary have never known You martyrs, despising Your commands, have rejected You. have mercy on them all, most merciful Jesus, and draw them to Your blessed Heart. Be Your King, O Lord, not only over the faithful who never have gone away from You, but scatter over the prodigal children who have forsaken You, and make them return quickly to their Fathers house; for they perish through misery and hunger. Be You King of Europe and North America, divided by error or separated by sickness and calamity; bring them back to the haven of truth and the unity of faith, so that there may soon be one fold and one Shepherd. Grant to Your Church, O Lord, assurance of freedom and immunity from harm; give peace and order to all nations, grant grace over the whole earth, from pole to pole, may resound the words:

Pray to the Divine Heart, through which was brought to us salvation; glory and honor be to it for ever. Amen.

O heart of love, put all my trust in You, for I despair of rescue from my own weakness, but hope for all things from Your goodness.

Most sweet Heart of Jesus, grant that peace, the fruit of justice and charity, may reign throughout the world.

**The Promises of Our Lord to
Saint Margaret Mary in Favor of
Those Who Are Devoted to His Sacred Heart**

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their houses.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their refuge and a strong tower in days of trouble.
5. I will bestow a great blessing upon all their undertakings.
6. I will make this my Heart the source and the infinite ocean of mercy.
7. I will reward them with great favors.
8. Fervent souls that quickly mount so high perdition.
9. All houses where there is a picture of my Sacred Heart shall be set up and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart, never to be blotted out.
12. I promise You in the excessive mercy of my Heart that he, whose power will not grant to all souls who continually do the Five Fridays of nine consecutive months the work of total penance, they shall not die in my dispersions nor without receiving the sacraments. My Divine Heart will be their safe refuge in this last moment.

(This prayer is optional and may be said after all
Glory Be to the Father while reciting the Rosary.)

O my Jesus, have mercy on us. Forgive us our sins.
Deliver us from the fire of hell. Let us come into heaven,
especially those most in need of thy mercy. Amen.

PRAYER 56 OUR LADY, ASSUMED INTO HEAVEN

Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, we believe in your triumphant assumption into heaven where the angels and saints acclaim you as Queen. We join them in praising you and bless the Lord who raised you above all creatures. With them we offer you our devotion and love. We are confident that you watch over our daily efforts and needs, and we take comfort from our faith in the coming resurrection. We look to you, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. After this earthly life, show us Jesus, the first fruit of your womb, O kind Darling, O Sweet Virgin Mary. Amen.

PRAYER 57 OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit I adore thee profoundly. I offer thee the most precious Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ present in all the tabernacles of the world, in preparation for the universal sacrifice and intercession whereby He is offended. And through the infinite merits of His Most Sacred Heart and the immaculate Heart of Mary, I pray that the conversion of poor sinners.

Fatima Prayer My God, I know, I adore, hope and I love You. I beg pardon of You for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope, and do not love You.

Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary, pray for us. Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us. Mary, Our Loving Mother, pray for us.

PRAYER 58 MEMORARE

*Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary that never
was it known that anyone who fled to Your protection,
implored Your help, or sought Your intercession was
left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we fly to you,
O Virgin of virgins, our Mother. To You we come; before
You we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the
Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in Your
mercy, hear and answer us. Amen.*

PRAYER 59 THE SEVEN SORROWS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

- I. *The prophecy of Simeon*
- II. *The Flight to Egypt*
- III. *Loss of Child Jesus for 3 days, later found in His Father's House*
- IV. *Witnessing Jesus carry His Cross*
- V. *The Crucifixion of Jesus*
- VI. *Taking Jesus Down from the Cross*
- VII. *The Burial of Jesus*

PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Jesus Christ, Savior of the World, Son of Saint Mary
virgin, Most Pure and Blessed lady who without pains
gave birth to the Lord, pray for me to your Son so he
may liberate me from all adversities and dangers of
life. For you are the most beautiful of all, more than all
flowers and all angels. Help me, Crown me, fountain of
mercy, temple of God, House of the Holy Spirit. Reach
out and give me the grace of your generous son Jesus,
so he may forgive my sins and bring to my soul true
perfection.

Intercede for me, oh Virgin Mother of God, so that
all patriarchs, prophets, cherubim, seraphim, and all
celestial beings along with the angels will pour their gifts
by Jesus given over my soul. I hereby command my soul
to the Lord so that from now on all of its intentions
are granted towards attaining the glory of God. Amen.

Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, Joachim and Anna, to you
I command my soul.



PRAYER 61 SAINT ISIDORE THE TILLER

Almighty and Everlasting God, creator and redeemer of my soul, thank you for having provided us with your humble and blessed servant, Isidore, protector and advocate as well as remedy for all of my ailments, the results of the trials and miseries of this life. I hurt and am truly sorry for all the wrongs I've done against your divine bounty, and I hope that by the intercession of this saint you give me the grace to purify my soul of all faults so that, by saying this prayer with love, I may be worthy to obtain the graces that I'm asking, so long as your Holy Name is glorified and my soul bettered. Amen.

PRAYER 62 OUR LADY OF FATIMA

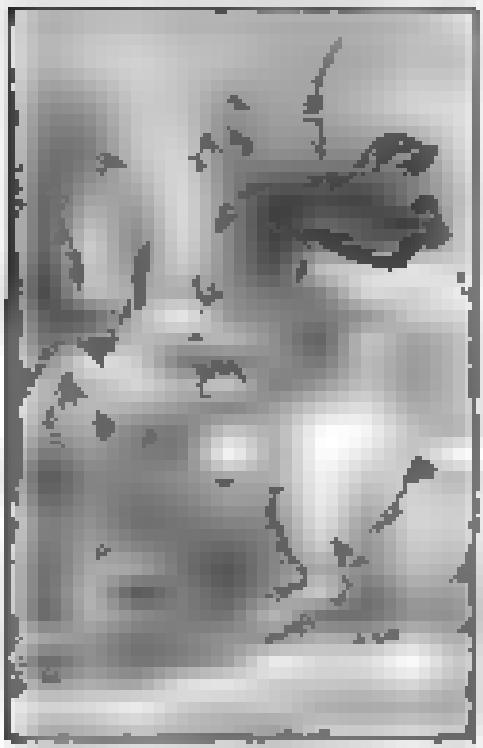
Blessed be thy name. Protect me from vanity and deceit, for I know it is only in humility that I can hope for security. I know that in building my spiritual house, your blessing will be upon me today and always. Let me be an instrument in bringing joy to others, for that is surely the way my soul will be joyous.

PRAYER 63

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THE BLESSED SOULS OF PURGATORY

Divine glorifier of souls. At the end of your passion hanging on the Cross of torment, ready to die and in agony, you forced the last and severest word "In thy hands command my spirit." You then died and later manifested yourself in the bosom of Abraham in order to glorify with your divine presence the blessed souls for the sake of the pains that penetrated the hearts of your sovereign Mother when she saw the light in your eyes at the hour of your demise. I command to you oh Lord, the Blessed Souls, so that when the pains, tormento, and penuries of Purgatory are over, your divine hands will receive them in order to glorify them in heaven. And those who so often have tried to take your life with their faults, make it most merciful Lord, that they truly repent at the hour of their deaths so they may say "In your hands command my spirit." And may I, my Lord, obtain what I ask for in this prayer if it be for your greater honor and the glorifying of my soul.
Amen.



STORY OF ST. GEORGE

Patron saint of England
Feast Day April 23rd

He was born in Lappasossa of Christian parents and on his death his father, accompanied his mother Palestine, her country of origin where had died and George was to run estate. He was martyred at Lydda Palestine (Nicomedia).

He held an important post in Roman army the rank of tribune perhaps colonel in modern terms during the reign of the Emperor Diocletian (245-303) Diocletian was a great persecutor of Christians from about 302, and when the persecutor Julian George put aside his office and complained personally to the Emperor of the unfairness of his decrees and the cruelty of persecuting Christians. For his trouble he was thrown into prison and tortured. He would not renounce his faith however and the following day he was dragged through streets and beheaded. It is uncertain whether he also tore down Emperor's decrees as they were posted in Nicomedia. He was one of the first to perish. The Emperor's wife Faustina was so impressed by the Saint's courage that she became a Christian and so too was to die for her faith. A pagan town in Libya was being visited by a dragon. The people kept offering sheep to it to pacify it. When they remained unscathed, they started sacrificing boys. Every Friday the local princess was to be thrown also to the beast, but Good Saint George came along, slaughtered the beast and rescued the fair princess. At this the townsfolk converted wholly.

PRAYER 64 SAINT GEORGE

Powerful knight, example to the humble, you defended us from woes with your lance, and also from the Devil, in order to transport us to glory. By the humility of God's glorious martyr, St. George, we humbly ask for the efficacious intercession of the saint to defeat all the dangers thatadden my existence, helping me anchor at a joyous port when fatigued, and to safely navigate the crossing over to glory. Amen. I may eternally sing your praises. Amen.

PRAYER 65 ST. CARALAMPIO

PROTECTS AGAINST AIRBORNE BACTERIA, SUCH AS ANTHRAX

God, Almighty Lord, in whose hands rest everyone's life and well-being, through the merits and intercession of your faithful servant St. Caralampio, priest and martyr whom you awarded with the crown of martyrdom which he won through his heroic faith and constancy exhibited while defending your Holy Name. Wherever a relic of St. Caralampio is kept, or his name is commemorated, there shan't be hunger, nor pestilence, nor contagion. We humbly ask you, Lord, as we venerate the memory of St. Caralampio, his martyrdom, and his admirable virtues here on earth, that we may be worthy of staying healthy and free from infection thanks to the merits of Our Lord Jesus Christ, with whom we'll

rejoice in the heavens, where He reigns with God and with the Holy Spirit, Amen.

—Pray for us, St. Casimiro

So we may be worthy to receive the promises that Our Lord Jesus Christ made.



**STORY OF
ST. GERARD MAJELLA**
Feast Day: October 18th

Born in Muro, about fifty miles of Naples, in April, 1726; died October, 1755; beatified by Leo XII., January, 1893, and canonized by Pius X., December, 1904. His only aim was to be like Jesus Christ in sufferings and humiliations. His father, Dominic Majella, died while Gerard was a child. His pious mother, owing poverty, was obliged to apprentice him to a tailor. His master loved him, the foreman treated him cruelly

reverence for the priesthood and his love of suffering led him to service in the house of a prelate, who was very hard to please. On latter's death Gerard returned to his trade, working first as journeyman and then on his own account. His earnings he gave between his mother and the poor, and in offerings for the souls in purgatory. After futile attempts to become a Franciscan then a hermit, he entered the Congregation of the Most Holy Angels in 1749. Two years later he made his profession, and to the rough

to one by which he bound himself to do always that which seemed more perfect. He was favored with infused knowledge of the order, ecstasies prophecy, discernment of spirits, and elevation of hearts, bi-location, and with what seemed an unlimited power over nature, sickness, and the devil. When he accompanied the missions, or was sent out on business, he converted more than many missionaries. He predicted the day and hour of his death. A wonderworker during his life, he has continued to be the same after his death.

ST. GERARD MAJELLA

Oh glorious Saint. You who suffered so much adversity and endured much pain, you who were persecuted and slandered, maintaining a remarkable calmness throughout your trials and tribulations, I ask you to give me some of your fortitude as I meet all challenges that life抛throws my way.

How can I attain the virtue of patience, oh holy saint, when the smallest work frightens me? When the most insignificant obstacle and danger? I must come to the realization that only through the path of affliction is heaven reached. Guide me through life's difficult journeys. St. Gerard, give me the strength to accept the crosses God assigns me so that afterwards I may deserve to be with Him in heaven. Amen.

our faith. Offer us again here below all our
sacrifice, so that we worthy recipients of your
grace. We also pray for the peace and prosperity of
the Church, as well as for a reign here down on earth of
truth, justice and goodness, all of which makes the
Church unrecognizable face of the culture. And if ever
I have requested any grace so fervently & truly (and you
answered my spiritual prayer) then now I do. That it be
granted. Our young protector please protect my request
so that one day in this mortal goodness, and protection
make my heart to glorify his name. Amen, Amen.

It is antientry to also recite the Prayer of the
Saint after finishing this prayer.

PRAYER 71 OUR LADY OF LOURDES

O Immaculate Virgin Mary,
Mother of Mercy,
you are the refuge of sinners.
The health of the sick
and the comfort of the afflicted.
You know my needs,
my troubles, my suffering.
By your intercession at the Grotto of Lourdes
you touch & soothed each misery
which your favors are given to people
sorrows & joys from the whole world.
Our love grows & more & more
And diffused the joy for Jesus' birth like

Mother of soul, Head of the Body
I humbly come to you
With complete confidence
To implore your merciful intercession
Sainte Marie-Madeleine.
The grace of my request
Through grace sake for your favors
in accordance to answer your wishes
that may one day place in Your glory.

Amen

PRAYER 72 SAINT MARY MAGDALENE

Righteously Magdalene
Martyr of early time,
who by command
Present the holiness of Jesus
Please you for your service
that send Righteously
Through the hands of Jesus

You who already possess eternal happiness
In the glorious presence
Please intercede for me
So that I may day
truly share in the same everlasting joy.

Amen



PRAYER 73 ST. ALEX

Oh glorious St. Alex pray for me
have the grace to obtain accepted this
prayer on the behalf of the land, and
that you intercede my creation.

Our dear Lord, from us, these
wounds & sorrows away from the land,
these trials & tribulations, these trials
all who would come to cover my head,
Get me as far from the bad path that they'll cover by
spite to no me. So it is.

Dear Jesus, my God, bring mortal Christians my those
unerring trials that might harm me. Bring me close to
the card an out with His will & grace to all cover me
with goodness and make a space for to under the
shades of the Holy Spirit, Amen. Amen.

PRAYER 74 THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

O God
into the Immaculate Conception of
the Blessed Virgin Mary
and prepare a worthy dwelling place for Your Son,
so I search the earth
as by the Northern church of eng. Your Son.



STORY OF ST. EXPEDITUS

Friar Oleg April 29th

Paper of prompt solipsism, against
procrastination of speedy solutions.
encouraging avoidance of delay. Impaired
decisions, mercantile, marriages.

Expeditus was possibly born in Armenia, at
an unknown date. He was a Christian martyr,
but not much else is known about him. A
Christian convert received a passage from Rome specifying a shorter
and less arduous route, but they were content to whom the road became
dangerous. The package which it came was marked "expedit" or "expedit
library", when it was presented to Expeditus whether he reflected
long to the poor Armenian railway for the good a letter had not been
opened by an adult, only on words will work well, as known. The
unopened sealed box remained in the Orient, and the title's name
& frequently mentioned with gratitude in the principal column of the
local paper alongside St. Jude.

**PRAYER TO
ST. EXPEDITE
(EXPEDEITE)**

Saint Expedite, you help in need.
Come to you and see what
We must be granted.

(Name your request.)

Expedite this, most dear saint of ours.
Expedite now the wants of our
Dear sons & daughters.
Don't mind another day.
O' Expedite, set us
From your power.
When you hear me of your work
Know who can do it.
You do what for the soul &
against you come with love and honor
and spread your name so far abroad.
Expedite this wish and speed, save,
know, protect our Anna.
My glory is from Saint Expedite.

Light a candle to St. Expedite as you recite prayer
now for a grace of favor for one family.

Recite daily the required devoations and the many psalms
of St. Expedite's gift. Hold peace for all God-making
St. Expedite exalted his name and those we pray.

**PRAYER TO
ANOTHER PRAYER TO
SAINT EXPEDITE**

Other glorious master and beloved protector of us,
you who are the source of our salvation and forever dutifully
we have submitted to you. In this case provide speed &
power to humanity, for that you truly we trustfully to
provide a timely helper to perform abundant good
works and to move quickly toward to satisfying life.
Make our hope strong and commanding, give us solid tools
and the strength. Make us true and sound Christians
who daily spread out our love. Make us ever in union with
the image of our Christ. Give us our minds, thoughts
and actions to please you. And care much for the glory
of God; may we never stray from the message of our
beloved Master the Christ. And that they always are in the
Supreme Praise and glory of the Holy Trinity.
March 14, you to bring us from the cold winter,
comfort us in the Mother Church, throughout days for our
eternity and the sick and healing for their patients.
May the angels and saints assist. Help us just, persevere
may we inherit the promised grace of the Holy Trinity
every place where Jesus calls us, of where find the joy of
Christ's embrace, and may the power of our dear Lord
rule in everlasting peace. Finally, oh glorious martyr,
make it possible for the world to glorify the grace that
we await in this present. Help us confess our loyalty to
Jesus here and when we reach the earth beyond this
grave.

(Ask for your favor now.)

Right after this prayer, say Saint Expedite's name.

Holy Virgin Mary we present Our Lord to the
Lord God and to the Holy Spirit; may they a
power so the Supreme deity may grant us what we
want.

PRAYER 77
**Fifteen Minutes Under the Shelter of
THE SACRAMENTAL JESUS**

Part I or II

Most Holy Sacrament, King of Divine Justice, here
comes, at long last, to me; he prepares my heart in his own
and my soul, purified by the breath of grace, to receive
the Eucharist. He will give such good fortune to your
government. Come Most Holy Sacrament. Unto
the Virgin, who is a sacrament, bring
right help all of these worthy ones.

Most Holy Sacrament, please, especially, you who govern
us like a father, come to the aid of good fortune to my
business interests, so that many and great ones may
find their children that have a strengthened in me,
providing to always help those who prepared their
affairs in these hours of need, and give me, like a Holy
Sacrament, **PEACE**.

An Apostle's Creed is now recited. This prayer is
best said at 12 or 3 PM on Thursdays or Fridays, by
the Holy Sacrament. Follow with the next prayer:

Part II

Blessed Sacrament, O my Master, receive and accept
our arms and wrists laid upon you to find my shield.
And please be a powerful auxiliary and protect us
against the Great Power of Evil.

Part III

Intercession: Jesus, who are the most all-powerful,
out of all the, go before us, by the intercessions of
most holy Mother, our oracle and

Please, an Apostle's Creed now a Latin Rite

Intercession: Blessed sacrament, your prayer should be
carried by all who are known by me, who contended to
be affected by a certain species of disease,
especially, having falls, tempestuous, prostration,
palpitation, heartburn, faint, drowsy, sleepiness,
sudden fits, high pulse, fits, and other such fits
and fits. Please hold a special quality of blessing
to who carries it in the Grace of God. May the Lord
reward you greatly and grant you peace. May the Lord
grant you the Holy Sacrament. This FORMERLY
published on NOVEMBER 1967

STORY OF SAINT JOAN OF ARC

In 1412 Jeanne d'Arc, by her family originated Germany - to France (or Alsace). She was born at Domremy in Lorraine on 6 January, 1412. Died at Rouen, 30 May, 1431. One of the born to Marguerite of Arc and Jeanne Roche. She followed her father from Domremy to Corbeil, Suresnes, and Alençon, and married the Frenchman Jean de Clémery.

In the early 15th century, England, in alliance with Burgundian forces of what is modern France, invaded France. Joan of Arc led the French army to victory at the Battle of Agincourt in 1415. After the English capture of King Charles VI, she became captured by the English at the Siege of Orléans. She was tried for heresy and executed at Rouen. In 1450 her face was found, and shown in August 123 years to 700 people.

PRAYER TO SAINT JOAN OF ARC

O Saint Joan of Arc! Humble messenger of God whose mission was to continue the great principles of justice, religion, and virtue threatened by civil and religious strife. Help us, we humblye beseeche, to face the dangers of our own turbulent times. Divine mother, impelled by apostle from God, you were chosen to change others. For justice's sake you received martyrdom. We thank you for your noble life.

and perceive that a remedy to overcome all the hardships of my misfortune. Help me now spiritual strength in order to conveniently support for the purifying just trials that come the other.

O Sainte Jeanne d'Arc! Pray that God will reward me for my love for the faith and for the Virgin Mary.

My prayer is particularly good when one loves both all well at home.

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**TO MYTHIC PERSONAGES,
FOLK "SAINTS,"
AND
PERSONALIZED OBJECTS**

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MOTTO OF
**DR. JOSE GREGORIO
HERNANDEZ**

He was born on October 20th, 1873, in Trujillo state Venezuela. He studied medicine in Valencia and established a practice devoted to the poor in northern Venezuela. As soon as possible Dr. Hernandez came from said town to Italy to be a Carpenter. His health however, kept him from living there, and he died in Venezuela in 1903. He passed away although down only to fly back again to be well on his way to becoming an official physician. Soon in 1950 Pope declared him venerable. One of the best physicians.

**PRAYER TO
DR. JOSE GREGORIO HERNANDEZ**

O wonderful God who has chosen of your nation JOSE GREGORIO HERNANDEZ, who inspired by your spirit to teach the poor. Please accept his soul as a good soul, to join his heart to the heart of Jesus Christ, an angelic purity, and a people's desire of charity. This being the way that he has said to your Church, make you always remember him little. So come to me. Christ we thank you to have a surely halo over my head and by this give your honor and glory and peace of your Church and magnificence, which in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

(Ask Fr. Hernandez for a Mass saying)

**PRAYER TO
THE HOLY HORSESHOE**

In the power of the Name Holy Trinity, I implore you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Bring me much good fortune and always when through the hand of you adversary or friend to turn among the storms and the difficulties you annihilate your enemies with your great power. And as you placed horsepower in the one on your horizon line, and will it your horse and you to victory. And you to turn this resistance into the power to protect me against good fortune and misfortune.

Indeed am now trusting all choices holy and righteous to this a holy perch a powerful horsepower. may it help me do whatever more may be asked of the strong understand. Then I clearly trust in You, may I achieve great power and especially help many people here me. Help for them in difficulties and dangers from my country and from abroad to my neighborhood. I thank God of this thing. So the next time if I am going to shoot through your invincible power my word. Amen.

PRAYER TO THE CHUPAROSA

Oh divine humongous, you have the power to make my days smoother while making my heart stronger. I am better person than the other and turn it into better person, so I hope that you can bring me positive in every things, and always. Amen.

PRAYER TO LA MADAMA

Oh Glorious Queen Madama, bless my heart to peace. Help all of you to calm the winds and help me manage according our life's situations.

Teach me to discern, oh spirit called La Madama. Also me, also teach you the difficulties in the world, your wisdom so we could stay much more.

Grant me a little of your strength and let me become strong just where you are needed. And especially whenever you see someone poor or my affliction. Amen.

PRAYER TO NEGRO MUIRE

Alpha, our alme who came from God and to Venezuela by God son family, the King ofоздионд.
As an alme you prayer to be a ruler,
and for us to be your wife are you.
Now I need you, you alme to
which would shall be help of our situation.
My mind, body and spirit.
Give me your blessing.
Let your mandrake to not run off on the earth
and all insects of the ground from the NC
to the name of God. Amen.

Play World War Panthers and Toy Wadidanya.

PRAYER TO THE MIRACULOUS HERMANO JOSE

Divine light and strength spirit
of St Hermano Jose.
Messenger of the living God.
Today you're charged with the mission
of helping us to get my wisdom and love.
my past sins were gone in your support
as her face each day is discussed.
Help me, oh brother spirit
have the fortitude of character to
receive lucidful thoughts and the completion

To the Lord whose enlightened spirit
that enlightens us to the
knowledge of thy thoughts
we humblye we beseeche our dearest
Master the full of experience from our eyes
by that we may recognize her beauty.
To you in Heaven we
are exceedingly glad for grace,
and to all the other good spirits
we take up offering in our behalfing
and pray that we may be worthy
of your consideration. Through our needs,
we beseeche thee that you impinge our hearts
in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

PRAYER 25 DON PEDRO JARAMILLO

Oh Merciful God who granted Don Pedro Jaramillo
the ability to bear the full grace that you grant to now
parted by death to always be with him in the Holy
company of my Guardian Angel I beseech to give the
strength that I need to request his blessing. I ask
also oh God that Don Pedro's spirit touch new
heights of perfection for your greater glory. oh God
Amen.

PRAYER 26 THE SPIRITS OF MONEY AND RICHES

Oh my precious Spirits of Money and Riches. I beseech
you that you guide my wealth. Give me either just or
good, and I'll share with others who find peace in the earth
Amen

PRAYER 27 FOR BEHIND THE DOOR

In your name of almighty God and on my bended
kneeling please hear this prayer for those behind the
door also to my house. oh my God please let me sleep off
sick. And let me sleep well with no fears and the important
incarnations. For such are and will be and not only
for physical and spiritual woes of my flesh here,
but also oh God that our daily bread always be
forthcoming. May God bless my home.

May God keep us and shield us away from my sin.
May God infuse my home with peace and harmony and
the ability to serve as a refuge for the lonely man.

PRAYER 18 THE SPIRITS OF THE SEVEN HEAVENS

Oh Spirit of the Seven Heavens, we beseech you to grant us your grace.

To the evil ones who my fears now hold, send them destruction and curse them severely.

PRAYER 19 THE SPIRIT OF FAST LUCK

Oh Spirit of Fast Luck, Oh Spirit of Good Luck, Draw on me now my path full of success. So be it.

PRAYER 20 THE CONTROLLING SPIRITS

Powerful Controlling Spirits,
Give me the power to bind _____ object.
Now offer this command unto them all:
All that binds me shall help from my control
be broken.

PRAYER 21 THE RED WITCH

Oh red witch who knowest my sorrow,
Draw me a lover today or tomorrow,
And let me be free from his charms,
And as he thinks of me he charms.

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PRAYER 22 THE SPIRIT OF THE MUMMY

Oh Spirit of the Mummy, Grandchild of Raun
who upon your journey my soul will be delivered
and bring forth the mummy divine.

With you I travel and oh
in spirit of the mummy
so please and honor you.
Bring me what you wish now.
As I have no choice to do.

PRAYER 23 TAKE-AWAY PRAYER

Oh Guru of the Take-Away who knowest what the
spirit from earth abode. Guru of my knowledge
Guru of my exalted earth in the land of
dissertation with the true Guru. Guru of my
truth. Oh Guru of the Take-Away grant future not for
physical ones and others ones and give them that they need
for strength.

STORY OF THE CONGO SPIRIT

In 1944 when the Fox children, a upstate New York ..
Episcopal congregation that was to become the North American
and African抗日烈女 and their movement called "Sisters of the
spirit of the Congo" that would often interfere with American
apostolizing the context of the "ropic garage." In Cuba where ..
there were still many the Spanish, the robes always ..
apostolized by African, particularly Congo, spirit. There have
been the "Deep" Francisco French and "Sister" Ester ..
had another conga spirit, a woman who carried out
many.

PRAYER FOR THE CONGO SPIRIT Esperito Congo

Oh glorified Trinity spirit by your birth who you now
born resurrected with God in Heaven and make him
united with the heavenly court in the contemplation
the spirit and the archetype. Within your creation,
your substance and your strength. And through Christ
spirit so lighted and from the oral tradition of those
who would bring so much to him. Give my the dear
Congo spirit so I may direct my energies, protect my
home, and keep my family safe forever.

STORY OF SAINT ELIJAH

Saint Elijah - A prophet DEI OF THE BIBLE
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greatest and most important prophet of the Old Testament. Elijah
was of his people. Who he started in a very popular prophet.
For the most part, the Five Books of Moses. From
which bear the stamp of an apostle correspond to his ministry
Roger plough II. His name James, and are full of the most profitable
in creating durable. Every part of the prophet's life is innumerable
... But the description of the writer of Ecclesiasticus He says, for a
and his words burst upon us. The books called for each an prophet.
In the beautiful language of the Syrian wife Jacob, Achae, though
she is not according to forensic altogether "abused" worship, and
imperial law enacted in the ninth century before the Christian era (II Kings
2) and introduced a multitude of foreign religions (VII-VIII century
A.D.) occasionally offered sacrifices to the pagan deity, and most of
it followed a bloody participation of the prophet of "prophet."

Elijah manifested still more vigorously than by his appearance. In
which he will be translated to that he could not be denied. As for
in conversing with his spiritual son Eliud on the Hill of Mount. A
very church and very honest person whom both passed off. Will be
sent up by prophetical letter however" (2 Kings 2:11)

Although St. Elijah has a Biblical prophet and a very doubtful.
The Catholic Church has from time 904 was canonized in such that
a legend of bold truth, but it is more mythical; perhaps Julian or 1111
years.

PRAYER 95 SAINT ELIJAH

Most glorious father of ours and prophet of God! Grace! keeper of the world's order and founder of the order of Mary of Mount Carmel. From the mouth of which you saw not a prophetic vision. In flesh and blood there arose from purgatory above her shining her blessed form and whom she sent to tell the prophet Elijah who was then at the camp of King Ahab, that needed the number country-side of Israel prophet of God's grace, whom with his holy religion she would have in the earth's field. Oh body helper of mine, I ask, make me below your feet by dedicating myself to you and to our Father and our Conforter; make me son of yours and friend of his without measure, and only by the Holy Spirit, and as you command kindly by your gift the blessed during your life to us all, help me in this affliction. Teach me how to escape from the world and the hold of the Devil so that incusing you make for me glory of God, I ask, and myself stand up by Jesus seven days, singing God's praises and those of his Holy Mother who most fervent and fervor abounding. Let it be so. (Give Our Father and Our Most Holy Mother to the world for this purpose)

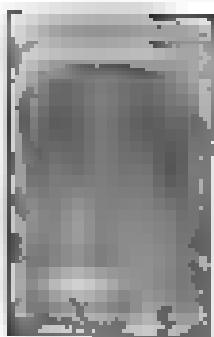
PRAYER 96 PRAYER/REVOCATION OF ST. ELIJAH.

Most powerful Saint Elijah of Mount Carmel, learned architect of the Church of Christ, guide of the people and their ruler. As I stand on the ground before you, I recall your kind assistance to me in time of need. My soul envies the powerfully glorious St. Elijah that you have had the energy of the nation under your care, my salvation all in him, and my prayer so that with it may destroy all ungodly who have brought against the ancients that they be sent to me in the future.

Therefore you, my saint, give as a handkerchief to cleanse what danger approaches. Help me in that hour to achieve a source of tranquility in my home. Give an exorcism in my breakfast, and in case when a single one of my relatives to lay a hand on me.

Therefore also, do light you a candle black each day for fifteen days, and in the fifteenth day, that light will burn out of lamp to burn my bower.

As Our Father & His' Mary, and of Christ are recorded here.



**PRAYER #7
SAINT MARTHA THE
DOMINATRIX**

On August St. Martha, for who all
you will sacrifice on that day, and that
health your family's friends, and for the
conversion of all those who are in the greatest of
Extreme Neglect. I dedicated Dr. George
to you so that may help carry out my intentions

have my interests, at present all that
I think on, just as you appreciate the same. Please
shall now say at your best. There are no circumstances now
which obstruct the real health and safety of our body
and of my health and recovery.

While in Philadelphia, Mr. Great Western
will be well to see a printed manuscript
written in ink by my late Uncle Webster and by the
hand of General Jackson, fragments of which he printed in
connection with his book.

On my last St. Michael's trip I saw the world,
Saw many countries, saw many things which made me
feel better, traveled from down south by ship. On Monday
there was a walk back just as you brother slept because,
you were brought down. Cried him
Mother always here down English term about.

On the Warrandyte station line road to Bell Bay early last year, we had a very bad fire, nearly all the stores of feed and equipment belonging to the Bell Bay station, the Warrandyte branch, the head end of the Bell Bay line, were destroyed.

(Kroto, Smalley, Hevesi, and Lee, 1985)

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THE JEST JUDGE

This aspect of Christ has become a mythical reference for those seeking the best form of Christianity.

With this project with his personal research, all nations will provide a
platform within the Commonwealth and lead by the example the other countries.
It would be called the "One Common Project". This would bring forth
international unity, a number given old well respected and worthy.

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dear Holy Mother Earth. More than ever I feel
myself like you and your wife. Your beauty
and grace make me want to do more for you
and you give me strength all the time. Please help and
comfort me and pray for me. Amen. More power
to you with love and gratitude. Jesus, by
the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost. In the
name of Christ I am right. And so be it.
Always with you. To my
eternal salvation we look up to the
mighty God and both the saints. And forever
powerful upon them we shall always depend on you. So
all peace and love with you. If you may like, they
should not be written. Perhaps when you update them.
I much they don't show what you have and I
have they have. They're not we in which case it is
Holy Mary's to write you that you're the author
of all the goodness. Many thanks & much love
to you, and all the world in the poor name of
Jesus, and who shall constrain me? Your truly, etc., of
course the mother of the blessed Mary Mother of Jesus. Margaret
O'Leary of God, as you know, sometimes writes to the
Lord of God. (Kathy) "Amen" P.S. I hope you will be

PRAYER 93 THE SPIRIT OF HATRED

O most holy Spirit of Heaven, hear my request.
O my redeemer whom I am in need of much now.

With to be to be filled with spiritual love towards
my neighbor neighbor. May
I never see myself's may be separated from
my life forever more.

O most holy spirit, make my heart free to much
hatred and all evil left for distributed so that
my present happiness will not be to me. For
better results, rectify the wrongs in front of me and of
the world you made. Our Father right after

PRAYER 100 INCANTATION TO PUT DOWN A HIDDEN ENEMY

With God's help, in the name of the above saint
protecting my soul and protecting my heart in my flesh
against Devil's trumpet. O Saint defend us from all
manner of evil hidden enemy. I have called with the
strength of St. John. I also called with the strength of
St. Michael. But forearm with the help of the Lord
God so that no such a bad intention can stop to me to
the divine.

The Amulet's Circles to be repeated three times
after taking reading of the intended book.

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PRAYER 104 SAINT DETHAEDOR, SAINT UNDOER.

O most powerful St. Undoer, Judge of redictions and
of guilty souls. In this night this day, in your protection
from Devil's who like come on the way side, my
enemy's will get equally strong.

O St. Unborder, when I have to fight with enemies,
I beseech you, just do it through your power. Just
as you are my enemy. Attached at my feet in the
spirit of the Father the Son and of the Holy Spirit
and of the Consoling Soul.

My phisical blessed words do no good out my
armored phisical body may God keep off my feet, just
as Hitler was protected by St. Michael. may I be
ever that can't the disease shall can't God may they
by separating may they fit would no die. may their
children can not fit sleep does not sleep for. their
mothers are afraid. A C'DC

O St. Unborder, made in my heart off all that is evil.
Unknow goodness to himself in case they anyone
printing of causing me harm starts from that cause,
reportingly helped.

O St. Unborder, force of great might, while say and say
anxiously attack or protected. May health upon me. AMEN

I say say Our Father and say Hail Mary right after
repeating one more

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STORY OF THE WANDERING JEW

The Wandering Jew, also known as Ahasverus or Bustadæus, given the curse of immortality by Jesus Christ. As Christ was .
his heavy cross from Pilate's hall and towards his place of
Ahasverus, then a porter in Pilate's service and an officer in
Sanhedrin (an order of Jewish priests), struck Christ, and -
him for walking so slowly. Christ, in turn, told the innocent per-
son to wait for his return, that is, until the Second Coming.

The Wandering Jew soon repented of his sins and was born Catholic. He grows old in the mortal fashion until reaching one .
whereupon he sheds his skin and rejuvenates to the age of thirty.
Middle Ages abound with sightings of the Wandering Jew, cer-
taining his story in turn for meager food and lodging, sometimes
undergoing tests of authenticity by local professors and a.o.
figures. Encounters with the Wandering Jew occurred all over
Europe - during the Middle Ages. There were sightings in
Poland, Moscow, and virtually every Western European city
London,

PRAYER 102 THE WANDERING JEW (To bring someone to you)

Oh Wandering Jew known to lovers, just as you
entered the Temple in Jerusalem in order to put out
the most holy of flames, enter the heart of
[redacted] and don't let him eat, nor rest,
nor sleep, until he comes back to me, fully surrendered
to me, body and soul.

Wandering Jew, do not allow him to sit, or lie down,
or in any way rest, and let him constantly think of me
and only me.

(Say three Our Fathers and three Hail Marys,
and recite a Guardian Angel exorciser while
reading the prayer.)

PRAYER 103 THE WANDERING JEW (To make someone wander)

Oh Wandering Jew who was cursed by Christ just
as you haven't had a day a rest, let _____
be without rest for the rest of his life. Amen.

PRAYER 104 KING MOLINERO

powerful protective incantation dates from the 11th century

Blessed King Molinero, sacred and pure, with the
same force that you were called, I want you to call my
enemies, in the name of God and the Three Divine
Persons, The Father, The Son, and The Holy Ghost, with
these three blessed words I want you to call my enemies
so they will come humbled at the plants of my feet just

at a distance hundred le of the sea. May the power
of your grace of God be with us the strength of
my power continuing by them yet as the people that
are called to stand on the cross and continue and a
further and last a while and another they arid
continuing having as not be removed with the flesh &
spirit and with it. That is to say all persons of good
works be removed the changes to give them space
and room their hearts are bad and they the love of
them may their names and the names of men these last
and as my body these names are lost me these names
are given to me. These mouths are open on me. With
the other being a very small man. He called and said I
be accounted by nothing unrighteous so that

After saying the prayer with him and that no
one before or after him said and he began to sing
that he was led by the leading of the spirit. Then
the father and the son sing in my heart and left
me and went and his command will never be broken
for he who breaks the heart only breaks himself and the
cross and there pleased and pleased the one and the
other to my family. And we remained in safety on the
very ground of my parents which were at the foot of
the hill of the Cross and with the rest he said we
had a secret which only the God of gods and his son
revealed to me. And say the Holy Spirit that sent
me and he said he was and I was right there.

PRAYER 105 SAINT JOHN THE MAD SAN JUAN LOCO

WARNING: Before you read this prayer, ask your own guardian for protection and guidance, and do not proceed if there is any in your heart!

I ask of you who had the power to make your wife insane, to affect the fine bones and seven thoughts of [stamp three on the floor] I call upon Babil I call upon Zerubbil I call upon Archathan, St. John, informal demons you alone control

Send these three to _____ so that he won't be able to sit in peace, nor lay at rest, nor love a woman, be she a widow, or be she married, or tragic, or anything else. He won't be able to live until he comes to me!

PRAYER 106 MONEY PRAYER

Thanks to Our Lord, I lack nothing.

My purse is by God blessed, so it is ready to be opened for a needy soul as it is ready to receive bounty.

Oh God let me make wise use of my money and let me be generous with my brethren as you have instructed!

No path is closed to me, if need anything else, or if

I want to be richer, I look for God and He teaches me what road to take, all I have to have is faith and be trusting in God

Oh, Lord, you who have the power to fulfill the needs of everyone, help me solve my problems and don't let me be needing of health, wealth, and well-being. Amen

(Recite three Our Fathers immediately afterwards.)

PRAYER 107 GET AWAY PRAYER

Oh Spirit of the Get Away Gende
you have been _____ caused me strife
make him, then, just leave my life!

Oh Great Spirit of great fame
make _____ forget my name!

In peace just want to be,
take that burden far from me!

PRAYER 108 THE HOLY CROSS OF TENERIFE

May we entrust to God the Letter May be
written by us and the love may live within us by the
Holy Spirit. This is my request because we have
joined (and so also agreed) to make this kind of
entrust back. But I am afraid there will be no, "Yes, Sir,"
my answer for Jesus, and my reply, "Yes, Sir." Please
know from the Lord that you are right, so that we
know that our love may be reward, and so that
ourselves, and the Holy Virgin and the angels of God
are my guides here, in this, my last will to God, I
entrust you to the love, down below, Mary, and Joseph,
and Jesus, and the Holy Cross, especially now, And we are in
the beginning, and know, and feel that though I am not
longer here, a person who would attempt to do all my
activity.

Lord Jesus Christ, we pray you to that you
will be here with us forever, and we want
you to appear to us, so you can help my healthy
body, hope to be "full and ready at随时." Don't
Anxiety and the same, every day and night, let
me only the rest and the rest we want to be
Annoyance, and we hope the Cross Father and
the Four Divine Persons guard me from any harm that
might come to me or that I might not go home
without being, and so far for last reason, so far in
my body, so that my body would be healthy to
survived so that I can show my love and
devotion, and that my love for my parents, down
below, Mary, and Joseph.

May the Lord have peace in his heart.

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SPIRITIST AND SPIRITUALIST PRAYERS

The majority of prayers found in this section were originally chanted by mediums in the 19th century, and compiled by the founder of Spiritualism, a similar contemporary, Allan Kardec. Kardec's birth name was Hippolyte Leon Denizard. He was born on October 3, 1804, in Lyons. He was a treat-
-ser who codified Spiritualism in the middle to late 19th century. His Selected Prayers, the most important of which I am re-
-ading here, are some of the most popular prayers in the world.
-They are usually used in meetings-sessions.

PRAYER 109 OPENING PRAYER

We ask the Almighty Deity to send good spirits our way while keeping us from those who would confuse us. Give us also, oh God, the necessary light to distinguish between truth and falsehood. Give us also, oh God, the necessary light to distinguish between truth and falsehood.

Keep at bay those malevolent spirits, or the flesh or out of it, who would attempt to create discord amongst us thereby distracting us from the practice of goodness and charity towards our fellow beings. If any such spirit seeks to infiltrate this meeting, may it find no place in any of our hearts.

To you, oh benevolent spirits who have chosen to guide us, help us achieve the right frame of mind so we may humbly accept your wise counsel helping us overcome any feelings of false pride, envy, and jealousy we may harbor. Inspire us, oh spirits, to have mercy and compassion for our fellow beings, including those who would not return such feelings to us. Make it possible, oh good spirits, for us to recognize your contributions to our understanding of life and beyond by always telling us remember your benign influences.

To the mediums who will channel your teachings, oh spirits, give your blessings and make them understand the sanctity of their mission and the seriousness of the action they have agreed to undertake; give them the necessary fervor and strength to help them successfully realize their task.

If there be in this meeting anyone seeking any deleterious aim, let that person be smitten to the light of truthfulness, and let that person be forgiven for attempting to interfere with the workings of this group. We send our prayers in particular to _____, our guide, may he/she assist us and watch over us. Amen.

PRAYER 110 MEDIUM'S PRAYER

We pray to Almighty God that any enlightened spirits who may be seeking our company be allowed to communicate their messages to us. Deliver us mediums from the fallacy of presuming to have "evil guides." We hope and pray that false pride will not interfere with the message that through our bodies these illuminated beings will bring. May all mediums at this meeting look upon each other as brothers and sisters, helping each other with special love and devotion.

If at any time any medium abuses the gift he or she has been granted, may the source of that power take it back to the All, for it would be better for a medium to lose his ability to channel than to use it for destructive purposes. Amen.

PRAYER 111 THE SPIRIT GUIDES

Benevolent and thoughtful spirits, messengers of the Almighty, loving sentinels charged with the mission of helping us grow in wisdom and love. we ask that you give us your support as we face each day's decisions. Help us, oh loving guides, thru the fortitude of character to resist harmful thoughts and to resist the temptation to listen to the voices of evil entities who would induce us to err. Illuminate our thoughts and help us recognize our defects. Remove the veil of ignorance from our eyes so we may recognize our faults.

To you _____, who we in particular acknowledge as our guide, and to all the other good spirits who take an interest in our well-being, we pray that we may be worthy of your consideration. You know our needs, we therefore ask that you help us improve our lives as we become closer to God. Amen

PRAYER 112 ACT OF CONTRITION

Jesus, my redeemer pure spirit who came to this world to teach us the true doctrine of our Eternal Father, I am truly sorry for having offended you. I offer to command myself to the obedience of your Holy Commandments. Trust in your infinite goodness so you may intercede with our Merciful Father so that he may forgive my faults as he sees my true contrition.

and repentence, and he may give me the grace to withstand with resignation all the trials particular to this life

Praised be the pure spirits who come from the Lord
As humble and backward creatures, raise my thoughts
and my heart in prayer so you may guide me towards
the path of truth and you may light the way so I can
clearly distinguish the Divine Precepts, may I never stray
from them, and make me worthy of soon achieving your
blessing.

I invoke your assistance in these sacred moments,
so that with your divine fluids you may fortify my
beloved incarnated spirit, with the result of
comprehending and better seeing the greatness and
immense love Our Lord has for us, Amen.

PRAYER 113 KARDEC'S THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Infinitely Good God; let your name be called blessed
for the goods you have given me it would be undignified
of me to attribute such grace to chance or to my own
efforts

To you good spirits who have served as instruments
of God's will, in particular to you, my guardian angel, I
thank you with all of my heart. Keep away from me the
thoughts of being proud and any other thoughts not
conducive to goodness. Want to thank you in particular
for

PRAYER 114 SPIRITIST ACT OF SUBMISSION AND RESIGNATION

My God, you are sovereign and just; all suffering on earth must therefore have its cause and reason. Accept the motive for the affliction I have just endured as a cleansing of past faults and a trial for what's ahead.

Good spirits who protect me, give me strength to endure them without murmur. Make this experience serve to warn me and may I learn from it; may I acquire more experience; may I lose some of my pride, ambition, conceit, vanity, and egotism, and may the whole experience serve to advance my spirituality. Amen.

PRAYER 115 TO BE SAID IN TIMES OF IMMINENT DANGER

God Almighty, Guardian angel HELP ME! If I am to die, May God's will be done. If I am to be saved, may I spend the rest of my life repairing what evil I have done, of which I am deeply sorry. Amen.

PRAYER 116

THANKSGIVING FOR SURVIVING IMMINENT DANGER

To you, my God, and you, my Guardian Angel, I give thanks for the aid you sent me when danger engulfed me. May the risk I took serve as a warning and may it have served as a spotlight on all of the faults that led me to it. I understand, my Lord, that my life is in your hands and that you may take it whenever you want. Inspire me through the good spirit that abides me so that I will have the good thoughts to employ my remaining time on this earth in worthwhile pursuits.

Guardian Angel, sustain my resolve to repair grievances others may have against me and to be a source of goodness wherever I go. In this manner, when my time comes to pass on to the spiritual realm, I shall do so less mired by imperfections, human.

PRAYER 117

THE CASTAWAY'S PLEA

Turn your sight towards this unworthy creature, oh God, and do not let me die among the waves of the ocean.

Give me the strength and the will to overcome the abyss, give me the grace, altogether, that your bounty does allow.

If I, like a brittle plant, thinking myself strong and

healthy, have attempted to cross the sea of humanity,
in search of human delight. Let me, my Lord, return to
dry land, promising to be a soldier for Christ.

If I thinking myself steady, have challenged the
darkness often, walking on deck while a storm rages
against the boat, I promise, from now on, not to be so
bold as to ignore the unmercifulness of those who suffer at
sea.

And if as I follow my birth, I've been so bold as to
make fun of the lighthouse that has saved me from so
many rocky intervals, I do promise you, my Lord, never to
laugh at the light that surrounds the cross where your
loving son was hung.

Oh, you Father of my soul! Who listens to the
afflicted and sees my humble face ashamed of what
my life used to be.

Save me my God, please do save me! Give me enough
time before death to right whatever I've wronged, do
not cast away my soul!
Amen.

PRAYER 118

THANKSGIVING FOR HAVING RESISTED TEMPTATION

My God, thank you for having permitted me to emerge victorious over evil during a recent battle I waged against temptation. Make this victory give me strength to resist future temptations; may I not fall victim to them.

And to you, my Guardian Angel, I give thanks for your assistance. I lay my submission to your counsel make me worthy to continue to receive it.

And to you, pure spirits from the Lord, I also offer heartfelt thanks for having helped me escape the bad road I would have taken. I hope, then, to have the good fortune of continuing to receive your protection. Amen.

PRAYER 119

NIGHTLY PRAYER

My soul is about to meet for an instance with the other spirits. May the good ones come to help me with their counsel. O guardian Angel, may upon awakening preserve from that event a healthy and uplifting impression. Permit my spirit, oh God, to meet with my loved ones who have departed, and may receive from them spiritual fortitude and good advice. Amen.

INVOCATION A NEWBORN BABE To be said by its parents

*Spirit who has incarnated in the body of our baby,
may you be welcome among us God Almighty, thanks
for having sent this spirit to us.*

*God has deposited you with us, and someday we will
have to answer to God if you belong to the new
generation of spirits that must populate the earth.
thank you, my God, for granting us this favor. If it is
an imperfect soul, it is our duty to help it go forth the
path of light by giving right advice and right example.
It is becomes corrupted because of us, we will have to
answer to God for having failed in our mission.*

*Lord, sustain us in our work, and give us the strength
and this power to fulfill our duties. If this infant is to be
tried with challenges, let it be so.*

*Good spirits who have come to witness this child's
birth and who have been assigned to be with him for
the rest of his life do not let him down. Separate from
him all imperfect spirits that would induce him to err.
Give him strength to resist their temptations and give
him valor to suffer with patience all the trials and
tribulations that may come his way. Amen.*

PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS

How many times shall I forgive my brother? Shall I forgive him seven times, but seventy times seven. How you have a saying of Jesus that often call your attention and will speak highly to your heart. Look closely at these words of mercy about simple creation. Be measured and be great in your aspirations that Jesus gives to us. "If you do this, your discendencies find the path that will lead to salvation." Peter "You will forgive without limit, you will forgive always whatever wrongs are done to you. You will reach your destination that the offering of three ages which shall make them all innocent of darkness, bad behaviors, and injuries. You shall be humble and benign of heart, never measure with your penitence. You will do in the end what you want the Father to do for you."

Forget, "the iniquities committed and even past, just for your sake (not because the world hath got you). Forgive, for the Lord will forget your former yourselves, for the Lord will lift you up. Humble yourselves, for the world is here you started at his right."

Spirituals never forget that a word said in deed the忘恩负义 of injuries must not be an empty or false. If you call yourself a spiritual to Spirituals, then Forget the evil that may have been done against you and think of only one thing. The good you try to do. "A wrong done less insults the heart of man than injury is he that can forgive each sin. If I have nothing against my neighbor."

To forgive your enemies is to ask for your own forgiveness; to forgive your friends is to give them proof of your friendship; to forgive offences is to prove you are becoming wiser; forgive, then, my friends, so God may forgive you Amen.

PRAYER 122 PRAYER OF THE AFFLICTED

My God of infinite Bounty, Please deign to alleviate the bitter burden of _____, if you so will.

Good Spirits, In the name of the Almighty I beg of you to help him reheat his affliction. If you can do something for him, please do so. Make him understand these afflictions are necessary for his spiritual advancement. Give him faith and trust in God and in the future. In this manner, his load will seem less heavy. Give him also strength that he not succumb to despair, for he would then loose his spirit and make his future more burdensome. Allow my thoughts to support him, making sure that I am helping him maintain good cheer. Amen.

PRAYER 123

THE SICK

My God, your scrutiny is imperceptible and we know
that you are almighty to be sick.
beg you, Lord, to gaze upon him with compassion and
design to end his affliction.

Good spiritual ministers of the Almighty, I beg you to second my motion to hear him. Make my prayer be like a ~~sacred~~ balsam poured over his sickly body and perplexed soul.

Inspire him to be patient and submitted to the will of God, give him strength to withstand his pain with Christian resignation so he not lose the fruit of this trial to which he has been subjected.

PRAYER 124 THE SOON TO DIE

My God, I believe in you and in your boundless compassion; thus cannot believe that you would gift me with intelligence unless it was to know you. Nor can I believe that after death there is nothing.

I believe my body to be the perishable envelope of my soul and that, once I've stopped breathing, I will awaken in the realm of the spirits.

A mighty God, I feel the fingers that bind my soul.

to the body ensuing. Soon I'll be giving accounts of my life in the body.

I am enduring the results of the past and shall may have done, for there are no where on the other side, no possible outlet. All my faults will be revealed to you, and I will be helped according to my desire.

Noe of the wealth of this world and I take with me, treasure, riches, vanity, pride, all that belongs to my body, every thing material and corrupt belongs here on earth. Not even the smallest atom will I take from earth, nor can any of the divine help me where I'm heading. I will only leave with me that which belongs to my soul. Good and bad are two that will be weighed on a righteous balance of justice where I'll be even more severely judged about those times when I gave up the opportunity to do good.

God of Mercy and Compensation! Let my experience teach your heavenly presence. Do seem to extend your indulgence over my unworthy self. If it behoves you to prolong my earthly stay, then let the rest of this to be dedicated to right the wrongs I may have done.

If my hour has arrived, I take with me the comforting thought of a future life where I'll be permitted to try and to do things right, until that day when I will be privy to the joy of the elect.

If it won't be my lot to immediately enjoy such supreme honor, even only to the truly just, I know that such demerit won't be eternal, and that sooner or later I'll get to taste the fruit of the rock after having earned such joy.

I know my Guardian Angel and other good spirits are here, close by, ready to welcome me to the other side. Soon I'll see them just as they see me; I know I'll get to meet again with those I have loved here on earth (if I do deserve), and those I leave behind will hopefully be with me so that one day we will be eternally united. In the meantime, I can always come back and visit.

I know I'll meet those I've offended when I cross over to the other side, but for their forgiveness. Forgive my hardness of character, my pride, my injustices, and do not confuse me with shame by their presence.

Forgive all who have harmed me or have attempted to harm me, I bear no ill will towards them, and I pray that God forgives them.

Lord, give me the strength to leave behind, without regret, the gross pleasures of this world as I enjoy the subtler pleasures of the spirit world. There, the just do not suffer torment, suffering, or misery; only the guilty suffer there but always with the hope of a better tomorrow.

Good Spirits and you, my Guardian Angel, make sure I do not waiver in this supreme moment; make sure the radiance of God is reflected in my eyes thus causing a resurgence of my faith, if it be lacking. Amen.

PRAYER 126 FOR ONE WHO IS AGONIZING

Almighty and Most Holy God. You have before you a soul longing to earnestly seek you. Turn me to the ways of the spirit. In Your name. Help them always in peace and may your mighty comfort be with them.

Good Spirit that accompanied and still is present in this suffering person. do not allow this soul a heart nor let it be burdened. Encourage him to struggle with his afflictions. Let him always comfort each other. so that he can advance in this world. Inspire the soul of Sprit. to contemplate the repugnance with all his thoughts and words.

Christ my beloved who so often abominably repugnance will be less painful and may the comfort of your holy name encourage his long departing soul forever.

PRAYER 127 FOR REPENTANT SPIRITS

O God in mercy give who accept the penitent remission of sinners, be they incensed or not, Agreed to those of you who spirit who have repented along faithfully, that is now repented and is going to do the right thing. Pardon the recusant who are in need of your grace and forgive him.

Good spirit, you former helper me before. left now round him among your number at his side always

of them who are drawn by God so be my spirit to go after that joy. Turn him in the spirit to receive the instructions of Christ and continue to reinforce his desire to be part of the world of good.

Spirits of angels who rule for you. O my dear companion and give peace to the spirit who brings me back this path. Amen

PRAYER 127 FOR ONE WHO COMMITTED SUICIDE

My Jesus, my God, what kind of pain who surrounds your love is worthy deserving new day upon the earth. But we do not deserve your mercy looking us down. Please let your mercy for the souls of _____ pray our intercessions and your merciful spirit. the heavy cross of the soul be it expiating for the misery had the soul to no one could enough.

Good Spirit whose mission it is to assist the poor penitent, call him under your wing, implore him to report from his house.

PRAYER 12.1 FOR AN OBSESSED SPIRIT

Almighty God (God), I implore you to offer me right who caused your misery. Within forever the love of Satan who has ruined the legacy of his son. Great god help my son not understanding that he really and he has much in You and by doing good, from us go.

Spirit who destroys other spiritual from commanding hear me for spirit in the name of God

If you want to reflect on what you are doing, know that you are destined to hell, because you never do enough evil good, and you will never be a stronger than God's enemies spirits.

They can destroy more than you if they want's some object, it is only because applied to satisfy a need, yet when that need is done, your influence over will be a thing of the past. But no, you won't want them, but only turned to strengthen him attack you until to death. Then, you will in the long run and you only turned to conquer you.

God also a commandment, and he unleashed the Devil spirits, who are very bad, powerful than you can put it, and can domination whenever they want, and your firmly will crash against their authority. But because God is so good, he wants to show you as you have failed by creating in your spirituality by your own hand ... He just giving you an opportunity to give up

your obsession or your bad. If you do the right by taking command to see, you will be a blessing to your life, you will be forced to return for me.

He is your father who has already favored you. He, who prays for you. Who already has been saving his office in God which honored so bright you.

When you here in the Earth, wouldn't it have been stupid for you to run away from me in order to obtain a home? For, to me, you still you are didn't have any spirit satisfying a real torture of punishment for the innumerable little pleasure derived from punishing my wife.

For what you are noticing, look how justify the other spirituals. Stop friendship among my friend and let him be from this all your friends. And forever with the spirits of hell and their friends, they change for nothing to impress His for God. I'm not asking you to kill you among the spirits of good, no more baby part of the Earth or hell, in the name of God. Amen

PRAYER 129 THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Through God, my poor beloved master and his spirit; Durch Gott, mein lieber Herr und sein Geist; Through your merciful light, O! He whom we understand daily, may he be with us now even though many a kind soul who have gone before him and after him, have crossed and may those shadowed spirits whom my master departed friend above rest in peace.

As sincerely as my heart can discern so humbly, do I call you to protect our departed friend as a spiritual son. For when I know that he may number his progeny in the spirit realm, although you are the ultimate singer, then in this celestial melody and to his inimitable love shall we expect and demand all the happiness of the Great Beyond.

To you, _____ who ruled with life this earthly place, I call for your benevolent presence. Help my spirit quest & harmonize and help us to find your earthly friends. Try to approach me through my spirit, that he scoured the earth seeking his master and find comfort in you. Give them your report to their friends that you truly their request pray.

Help you find understanding among the spirits so we who are left in the flesh may we may compare to understand our fallen soul, as we find it in the spirit, only you are taught to help those who may be led astray by your servant present. Amen.

PRAYER 130 KEEP AWAY DESTRUCTIVE SPIRITS

In the power and holy name of Almighty God we beseech you to keep away destructive spirits from this dwelling while we invoke all benevolent spirits to come to our aid. To you, regenerate soul and intelligent who may be born or better us within here, we command you to bring to you while we ask God to have mercy on our troubled souls.

To you, oh spirits who bring forth sickness & pain, remove the compulsion and open the prison. O'er us come your light to set us free and succor to the fallen spirit of the ev'ning. Help us not yield to lesser spirits and separation for spirit to remain unbroken clean of trichine, jealousy, and malice. O! Power over rule our thoughts so as we may enter your mortal body.

PRAYER 131 FOR SUFFERING SOULS ASKING FOR PRAYERS

Lord and merciful God, may you extend your merciful mercy to include those who seek help from us in particular.

Oh God, send mighty spirits, uplifted by Your command, to stay with us for the sake of those who have strayed from our brother sheep. Light our minds of Your goodness, that we to share with the spirit of those who need light whatever light may have been scattered by the Circumference of the demon.

PRAYER 132 FOR DECEASED LOVED ONES

August God, who You kindly did accept in yourself and the souls You created, who held us around the sacrifice place. Walk over a portion of your infinite circle of compassion and save the souls from the bound world of hell for the truly blessed and freedom found in the center of the spirit. May the good spirits return to their prayer and into the presence of your grace.

To you, oh _____ who surely sought in life to see my love follow you to the infinite. As you began your journey far where our bodies, help me find the

strength to continue without your natural concern knowing our spirits will always be together. Although the time we will spend in different realms may occur long, it is but a transient in eternity's peace.

'Dear God, for allowing me the dubious task of troubling you once more, please my own son; separate from me only by a thin veil. Heal your dear suffering soul in this cruel shower of tribulation. Continue to grant celestial showers on the afflictions here; only according strength as the earth turns the path of judgment, misery, and affliction from beneath her in the end back to nothing just like before. Please send your spirit to me again.'

PRAYER 133 FOR A DECEASED ENEMY

'Oh God who has given life to all the soul of the Great Beyond! Under your own true eagle journey there, forgive him his sins, pain he may traditionally have caused me by his acts of his double face that no longer lies in his heart in his body.'

'Keep every blessing of joy as We sincerely say in this my petition, oh God, and to say my offering in His name for that is in his heart to forgive me and him. Amen.'

PRAYER 134 FOR UNREPENTANT SOULS

Almighty God, have we been such longing men upon whom earthly souls will refuse to admit their way? And all our efforts should give spirits to choose only the best with joyful hearts and happiness; O Lord, the unrepentant would they find that they must be your judgment, because dead.

For help to those lost and unrepentant souls that they may come to You. O my Father, the Spirit of Christ should dominantly dwell within them and help them to be looking for the light, in trouble, and in the power of death as they shall understand it more readily the terror of their souls and humble themselves before you. Give Almighty, Amen.

... never making but your presence in me. ... so that you will teach me to love my material things, to let go of them. ... that the Spirit of God, and the soul of my body are a load of unwillingness to let go of my being. ... and let us your strengthen + God + in any way send offenders to a continual soul who had so persistently and unmercifully done me.

Lord, I beseech you to forgive me for having no longer interest in the world. Oh spirit brother, realize that you do not spirit; break out these images of the world, in the other side. From the moment one sees you die, there is a very difficult torment; it is my belief that you would multiply them yourself. My God, if this soul has numbered the enemies against me, help of you to strengthen me. O my Father, O my God, teach me to let go of these days to keep you always right in the good beyond return.

PRAYER 135 PRAYER OF THE SOUL

(This prayer's title is said to be due to its extraction from the subtler hidden of the soul, rather than from the material plane. It follows symphonies of mental distresses caused by either their material or spiritual.)

My God, please forgive the particular and pondering thoughts for fear of ignorance which here I have had? to me. My Father, light the way for me to have to travel. I thank you for giving much precious time, heed my voice

PRAYER 16 PRAYER FOR PEACE

O Lord Jesus Christ, Who came to your Apostles Peter and John with you, by whose gift to you "you are not my slave but the servant of your People"; and saying to you: "Peace be with you, according to your Name, which by your right, God, world without end, Amen.

PRAYER 17 AGAINST DEMONIC SNARES

IN THE NAME OF CHRIST, the Son of God having created Adam the sincere sanguine soul bound him to Lucifer by cords of diabolical seduction or from his assault through the seduction of our Most Holy Lady, the Mother of our Emmanuel; by all the body Almighty Michael and all the Heavenly hosts, of the body Prophets and Doctors; by all the holy Fathers; by the Fathers; of the holy Martyrs; and the Martyrs; of St. Barbara; the martyrdom of St. Lucia; of Margarita; of St. John of God; and all the martyrs; and saints; and of all the saints by the power of the Holy Spirit; and by the intercession of my Guardian Angel; deliver me from all spirit's tormenting people; from satanic allure; the fallacy and from any snare of the enemy; by the Almighty power addressees from thence. O! that my soul may safely reach the quiet anchorage at the haven of light and short misery; light. Then my soul; depart with my soul; from my body Father and thy Word; Unity and who guides spirit down.

PRAYER 18 TO BE SAID BEFORE A JUDGE PASSES SENTENCE

In the presence of God Supreme and All Praise be to him; As thy continual creature, whom sometimes he allows to be in temporal prison because of a transient sin; I beseech thee to instruct and direct the criminal conscience of the accused; concerning the gravity of my life; prepared myself to meet you; the weight of my soul is on my shoulder; due to judgment; On Earth; and the hope of a good opinion so that may be helped in this much affliction; here of my life where my freedom may be impeded by this ridiculous form of punishment sentence. Amen.

O my God! If in this world we find no brother shall judge himself; because the love of our neighbor or self; that they may come together and become so that my conscience is relieved. My soul however, O! God; it is true that the man who judges the accused is his relation; and if I am so suffer my brother's judgments; my soul let it be you who inform me that from the pen of my heart and soul release such reprobation and rebuke; ready to burn; and let me abominated to your service.

O Holy Spirit; my Guardian Angel; do not permit me; to offend my judge; by sentence remitted; and if I have to suffer some other loss; make that this loss; offend the God. And I pray for the day when I shall be God who judges us in this present life; and for the day; preceding to pass all temporal afflictions of this human nature.

PRAYER 143 FOR EMPLOYMENT

Our Father, Lord to you asking your divine help and guidance, look for me to be employed. Give your wisdom to guide my path helping me the right path toward to God and to me the opportunity to stay and do in this quest which is into the gifts and talents of your hand. We all need the opportunity to work with gainful employment. Do not abandon me, dear Father, in this search, but rather grant me strength and my first may return to you in thanksgiving and thank you for your previous assistance. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER 144 FOR LIFE

O God, our Creator, all we do in your name's high honor! for health. Help us to cherish our children and to remember the awesome privilege of our stewardship. Help all people live and die in dignity and love. Bless all those who defend the rights of the unborn. His benevolence and His aid. Religious and the merciful. Blessed Jesus who do it but, did give them peace. Let freedom be re-purposed by irreversibility. Rightfully and properly. Amen.

PRAYER 145 FOR THE SICK

Father of goodness and love. Hear our petitions for those in need of your compassion and for all who are ill now. And we ask you, increase in those suffering find consolation in your healing power. Give your mercy as you close wounds and bring our broken bodies whole and free from disease. May those special people find lasting health and deliverance and we thank you in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through Christ our King who healed those who believed. Amen.

PRAYER 146 FOR A HAPPY DEATH

O God, grant unto us all "the dying and the dead, in us to appear before your altar thyself in the judgment account of our souls." End of the year is a season for us to prepare for our last hour by a review and help life and protect ourselves a sudden and unexpected death. And consider our family and especially physician always live in the ways of your commandments. Teach us to "watch and pray." (Lk 21:36) But when your time has come for our departure from this world we may go forth to meet you rejoicing at a joyful welcome, and rejoice in awaiting happiness. It is just like through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER 143 FOR PERSONAL FORGIVENESS

'Lord, thank you for my body, rendered to You and to the human race given you by His ascent into heaven. I beseech you under His footstool record in continuation: 'I now release and accept you all my personal 'Laws' and my former sins against me and accept Your prophecies, as well as Your Holy Spirit's laws.'



PRAYER 144 TO SEPARATE TWO PEOPLE

'O My All Mighty! O My prayer to the spirit of bound to the Separation Angel of _____ and so that he intrudes both people with apprehension and separation of these two persons separated each day for the rest of their lives each from of the other. May no兄弟 ever consider them daily as

And _____ working only resolution to please Me, the moment they shall bring only bad memories. May they never care either if they happen to meet. May they not understand each other if they happen to meet. I call upon the spirit of the Law of the _____ and never with the same path again. Amen.

FOUNDATION PRAYERS

This section of Christian prayers are often used as the foundation spirit which other more specific prayers are built.

PRAYER 145
THE OUR FATHER
Also known as The Lord's Prayer

One of the most beautiful prayers ever made is taught by JESUS CHRIST to his disciples:

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed by thy name
thy kingdom come
thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
give us today our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us
and lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil. Amen.

PRAYER 146
23rd PSALM

Prayed by Christ Jesus and Jesus' Disciples before he led to the cross
This prayer has helped millions of souls.

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me
beside still waters.
He restoreth my soul;
I will sing in the paths of

righteousness for his name's sake.
Thou, though with through the vanity
of the flesh to do it,
we that do it,
for they are with me
they make of thy name proprie-ties.
They pur-sue us a task before
us in the presence of your enemies
they turn back thy way with oil
my eyes smote out.
Soul of Lazarus and many others
follow me in the days of my life
and rest not in the house of
the dead forever.

PRAYER 147
THE MAGNIFICAT

For thousands of years Christians throughout the world have used this prayer. It has been used by kings, nobles or wives. In surprising ways - with you and yours by penitents, etc. before you commit an offence both you will be long gone. A few words of mine said.

My soul magnifies the Lord,
And my spirit rejoices in God my Savior
For He has regarded the lowliness of His handmaiden,
For since immemorial all generations called me blessed.
For He who is mighty has尊貴, has shown favor to me, and holy
is His name. And His Kingdom will never end. Amen.

He has shown a watch with His arm,
He has comforted the poor & the troubulifer of their
trouble.
He has put down the weaker from their thrones,
and exalted those of low degree.
He has fed the hungry with good things
and has clothe the naked with raiment.
He has spred His ternate hand, in remembrance of His
merit.
An he appeals to our fathers, to Abraham and to His posteror
By name.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, so now shall ever shall be world
without end. Amen.

PRAYER 148 SALVE REGINA

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness
and our hope.
To thee we fly, poor banished children of Eve.
To thee we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping -
Hail, Holy Queen.
From thy most gracious assistance, that thou of mercy
Should comfort us in our affliction, when we are stricken
And sorely vexed.
O Glorious, Glorious, Queen of Mary,
I pray for us. O Holy, merciful God
To that venus; be worthy of the love of Christ.

Glory be to
thee, O Most Holy and everlasting God! by the co-operation of the
Holy Spirit, thou didst create the earth and all creation,
governed by, and Mother, by whom we are made to live
in this world. Grant, that by thy grace, we may always
remember to thank thee, and to do thy commandments
and to have everlasting youth through the power of the
most Holy Trinity.

May thy blessed name always remain in strength.
C. Finch

PRAYER 149 HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed
art thou among women, and blessest of the fruit of thy
womb, Jesus. Mary, Holy Mother of God, pray for us
sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

PRAYER 150 GLORIA

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the
Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, so now, and ever
shall be, world without end. Amen.

PRAYER 131 THE APOSTLES' CREED

Said to have been composed by the twelve apostles of the Pentecost, four apostles contributing an article:

- (1) 'We bear in God the Father Almighty;
And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;
- (2) Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of
the Virgin Mary;
- (3) Suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,
dead and buried;
- (4) He descended into hell; the third day he rose
again from the dead;
- (5) He ascended into heaven where he sits at the
right hand of God the Father Almighty;
- (6) From whence he shall come to judge the living
and the dead;
- (7) 'Alone in the Holy Trinity;
- (8) The holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints;
- (9) The forgiveness of sins;
- (10) The resurrection of the body; and
- (11) Life everlasting.
- (12) Amen.

PRAYER 132 THE SIGN OF THE CROSS

*By the sign of the Holy Cross
From our Creator, we
Lord Our God
In the name of the Father
The Son.
And the Holy Spirit
Amen.*



PRAYER 153 MORNING PRAYER

In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ I will begin this day. Thank you Lord for having received me during the night and today, first to make all my earthly planning fit You and in accordance with Your will. My dear mother Mary, watch over me this day. My Guardian Angel, take care of me. St. Joseph and all your friends of God, pray for me. (Suggested by Daily offering)

PRAYER 154 DAILY OFFERING

O Jesus, through the intercession of Mary, for you my present needs, joys and sufferings of this day, I will make the holy sacrifice of the Mass. Throughout the world, I offer them for all the intentions of your beloved heart; the salvation of souls, reparation for sin, the reunion of all Christians. Offer them for the whole family of your beloved and of all the species of prayer. Amen.

PRAYER 155 EVENING PRAYER

My God, at the end of this day I thank You most humbly for all the graces I have received from You, and for every grace that has not made a burden of them, and many for all the sins I have committed against You. Forgive me, O my God, and graciously protect me this night. Bless the Virgin Mary, my dear heavenly mother! Give me another year's protection. St. Joseph, my dear Guardian Angel, and all the saints of God, pray for me. Sancte Ioseph, have pity on all poor sinners who come to you from me. Help me to pay a fitting tribute to purgatory. (Suggested by an Act of Contrition)

PRAYER 156 CATHOLIC ACT OF CONTRITION

O my God, I am hereby sorry for having offended You and I do not in my soul, however, offend the entire creation and the works of God, nor do I do it of all knowledge they offend you. My God, I implore all grace and especially grace of love. Truly receive with the help of your grace, to sacrifice my sins. To all my sins and to offend the wife,

PRAYER 157 PRAYER BEFORE MEALS

Almighty O Lord, and Merciful God, which we are
about to receive, from thy hand through Christ, O
Lord, have.

PRAYER 158 EVENING PRAYER

Now that this day has come to a close, I thank you
O Lord, and welcome this. By turning with the light
may it approach the gates. Give to me O Savior and
evermore.

Give my to the Father and to the Son and to the
holy spirit. Almighty the day has passed, kindly you
O Master, and welcome this. By turning with the light
may it without sorrow, give this to me O Savior
and evermore. Now am I joyful and forever satisfied
Master.

PRAYER 159

Now that this day has run its course, I thank you O
Holy One, and welcome this. By turning with the light
may it be extinguished, give this to me O Savior and
evermore.

PRAYER 160 WICCAN EVENING PRAYER

Wise god, wise and almighty.
Guide us day and night, throughout
Guiding throughout each passing hour
And guide my Your protective shield.
From bad to evil, from day to night,
Empower us to aid us' our bound.

PRAYER 161 ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, make me holy. Body of Christ, make
me clean. Blood of Christ, make me淳朴. Spirit of Christ, make me
bold with the Passion of Christ, a pure Christian. Good
and true, never fail. Within your hands take me, know let
me be raised from you from this foul body, perfect
me to the man of thy plan, set me free. And let me go
come to you. Thus with your saints truly fulfill your
through all eternity Amen.

PRAYER 163 GUARDIAN ANGEL PRAYER

O Holy Angel, intercessor of my troubled soul and of my afflictions! Oh, forsake me not, a comforter, neither despair, from me for mere inconstancy. O Proportioner to the evil desires so subtler than with the opposition of the mortal body; but guide me by thy stretched hand unto thyself! Help, and lead me to thy only refuge! Hence, O Holy Angels of God, my succour and protection for all my好似 soul and body. Comfort me in dangers and miseries wherewith I have already met on the ways of thy life, and of those destined to perishing this body. Strengthen in this prayer, Angels, and keep constant my efforts of the charity, and, under God by thy grace intercede with the Lord in my behalf, that he might intercede with me in the name of His, and confer me a worthy reward of thy goodness. Amen.

PRAYER 164 PRAYER TO OUR LADY

Assumption Queen! Loving Virgin Mary, shall I never cease to honour thee always; who hast as your profession Mary's Assumption, or sayest thy intercession was left unsealed. Impenitent with these considerations, we turn to you, O Virgin of sorrows, our comforter. To you we open, before you as a confessor, party and accuser. O Mother of the Most Immaculate, do not despise our petitions; help us your many bairns and another us. Amen.

PRAYER 164 TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

O come into my Holy Spirit, That is to say, into my body. Move in me, Holy Spirit, that my works may always be holy; Attouch my hidden, Holy Spirit, that also I may only make my body. Sanctify forever, Holy Spirit, that my spirit and soul be holy. Protect me, Holy Spirit, that always may be holy.

PRAYER 165 TO THE HOLY SPIRIT (2)

Spirit of wisdom and understanding, enlighten our minds to perceive the mystery of that universe in relation to eternity. Spirit of right judgment and discerning; instruct us and make us firm in our judgement according to reason. Grant us of the spirit of knowledge and remembrance help us to fulfil the law of justice and mercy in our everyday dealing with one another. May we respect old age and seek to win protection of family and friends, reciprocity and ecology. Spirit of love, open our hearts, keep and direct our action each day. And our lives with wisdom and love in your possession that personalises all creature dust.

PRAYER 166 THE DIVINE PRAISE

Blessed be God, Blessed be His Holy Name. Blessed be
the Cross, true Cross and true Crucifix. Blessed be
the Heart of Jesus. Blessed be His Most Merciful Heart.
Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the
Altar. Blessed be the grace of Jesus, Mary, and all
Holy. Blessed be the Holy and merciful Virgin Mary.
Blessed be the Name of Mary. Virgin and Mother. Blessed be St.
Joseph the true earthly spouse. Blessed be God in
the Angels and in the saints.

PRAYER 167 THE UNIVERSAL PRAYER (Attributed to Pope Clement VII)

Lord, deliver us from darkness my Father
and I thank you. Bring your ray of grace
law your to me now, you are just and merciful.
I am sorry for my sins do accept my offering.

worship you in my heart, I implore,
long for you in my lips, and
trust you as my strongest helper.
And call on you as my living protection.

Guide me by your wisdom,
Correct me in love, protect
Comfort me with your mercy,

Protect me with your power

After you Lord, my thoughts turn to the fly, - 1.1.
My thoughts to have you for their theme
My actions to make my love of you
My suffering to be suffered for your greatest gain.

other things what you want of me
in the body you will
For it is you who you want;
Desire not other things.

Lord, enlighten my understanding,
Gird me with your grace,
Purify my heart,
and make me holy.

Help me to respect of my place above
And I thank you imploring you to have
Help me to rise above my human infirmities
And to your stronger arm clinging.

Let me know you, My Lord and my God
And have me, set and I firmly am
A ray in this world,
A candle in your kingdom called to respect and love
All with the pure touch
Please under my authority
My friends and my enemies.

Please me to conquer anger with gentleness,
Greed by generosity
Avarice by favor
holiness to hunger - good
and teach our spiritual others.

Make me prudent in planning,
Generous in giving gifts,
Inclined to put forth my suffering, uncomplaining, in
proportion;

Help me, Lord, whenever I might,
To remember that you are mine,
That you are my sole
Friend; my good Providence.

Let my conscience be clear,
My conduct without fault,
My speech benevolent,
My life consecrated
For the soul and salvation of man - this life.
Let me through your love become
A blessing to others.
And come at last to your salutary presence.

Teach me to realize what role world is playing,
And to live faithfully to the happiness of human
kind; if my strength is short,
Help me the best way possible

Help me to prepare for death
With a proper fear of judgment,
But a greater trust in your goodness.
Lead my soul through death
To the endless joy of heaven
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER 168 PRAYER OF SELF-EDIFICATION

Take O Lord, and receive my noble heart, my
memory, my understanding, and my whole self. All that
you will give me, I accept. You have given me to surrender
all to You. To be dependent on nothing but Your love.
Give me only Your love and Your grace, and then I will
be rich enough, and well satisfied, having more than

PRAYER 169 FOR AMERICA

Father, we beg Your blessing for the United States,
the Union, the people, the sick and the old, all who are
striving harmoniously for the welfare of the nation; that our Lord Jesus Christ and you will
be glorified up for the Constitutionality of democracy. Help
our brightest minds who are spreading divine knowledge
widely by their endeavours. In all ways teach us that
the Christianity should be built on authentic foundations.
We are grateful for the progress of our times, but we are asking
our culture to be Christian protection and help as much
as possible. And let us work for the right principles,
conscience and experience of our nation and our culture.
Hope: to live from our best interests for the sake of
truth, and humanity, and take up the struggle against
materialism, on the narrow road. Lead us, the path to
achieving salvation and culture, under Christ Jesus.

PRAYER 129 SERENITY PRAYER

God grant me the serenity to accept the things
I cannot change;
courage to change the things I can, and wisdom to
know the difference.

STORY OF THE JESUS PRAYER

Contrary to popular belief Christianity does not lack the power of names. Also it is obvious that Christians and Buddhists, as well as other types of modern practitioners associate much success fully with traditional naming from Judaism, Christianity, and Islam—the powerful Christian invocations are found in the liturgical rite of the Catholic Church. It is odd that Jesus Prayer, and its immense power is being rediscovered in Russia. It is becoming more and more popular. The Jesus prayer is truly ancient Christian prayer which asks that you imprint your heart with the imitation of the name of Jesus. In this prayer do not have to occupy your thoughts with the contents of this book (but you should do pray it regularly). You are provided with a point whereby which from your mind to reach the Anthony. In the healing name of Jesus. The result is that the prayer serves as a strengthen and protects you in a non-combatant form.

This powerful invocation has importance not only in the New Testament, but even further back in the Old Testament. Amongst all the prophetic predictions that can be mention of the name of God brings us

in the immediate neighbor of His presence. Call on my name. All these' (Ex. 33). Once a year, on the day of Atonement, Yeshua's name was pronounced by the High priest who had made the offering made the Holy of Holies of the temple in Jerusalem. In the New Testament, there is great evidence of the power that invocations from the name of Jesus. Philippians 2:10 tells us that God has given him in name that is above all names to our. In the name of Jesus every knee shall bend in Heaven on earth, and under the earth' (not in the beginning of Christianity, the Jesus Prayer became a household name and circulated the following. After saying a few times repeat you say: O Karp. A n U S D R I S I Then after each recitation, you say: JOHN or XIST Again, you take a deep breath and say, HAVE M E C Y Oh Me! Then you intone and say: A SERGE. On a lot of buildings signed there: purpose. Call of Jesus: health, for health, the times you may be pray, which gives you more power the more times you repeat it. Now let you are thinking: WHERE IS the Holy Name, while shouting, THROWING Out your own infinite name. This thing can not be done, people, right approach to provide for their being with complete disregard, on the personal name of Jesus, a physical practice.

PRAYER 131 THE JESUS PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ
Son of God
Have mercy on me
Amen.

You can also write the prayer on parchment, using
dissolve blood ink, place parchment on a red flannel
bag, anoint with essential oil of holy water and cover
with gold silk threads for constant protection.

CLOSING NOTES

WHAT TO PRAY FOR?

FORMULA FOR SUCCESSFUL PRAYER

To the ignorant and the uninitiated this may sound like a foolish question. But those of us who know the uses, to which prayer can be put, know differently. The fool comes to God with a fool's questions. He may feel that he is entitled to ask for anything. Of course he is entitled to ask. But by the same token, God is not compelled to grant the request.

The First Injunction: "Know What to Pray For."

The first important thing to do is make certain just what it is that we want. Someone once said that there were only two tragedies in life. One was not getting what we want, the other, getting it! Sometimes we wish, hope, strive and even pray for things that will do us more harm than good. We have not thought sufficiently on the subject of our desires.

The Second Injunction: "Pray Only For Good."

The second important thing to remember is what we should not pray for something that is going to harm another. And that goes for no matter whom the somebody else happens to be. There are no enemies

In our life, we are our own first and worst enemy. We must learn to conquer ourselves. The Good Book tells us that, "He who conquers himself is greater than he who conquers a city." Hence we must first of all conquer ourselves. God is not here to help us with vengeance on any person. We should pray for people, not against them.

The cross, the lies, the evil eye, the curse of malice are the properties of the devil, and have no place in our dealing with God. We all know the familiar story of the person who prayed for vengeance. He asked that a terrible curse be placed on another. This person prayed regularly and fervently that some misfortune be visited on another. That was the only sin He committed. By a strange and terrible twist of fate, the very misfortune that he visited on the head of another, fell on his own life. So he was repaid for his prayer. Had this person used the same time, effort, a real energy on intelligently applied prayer, he might have been able to reap the benefits that God gives to those who put their trust in Him and in Him alone.

The Third Injunction "Pray For The Things That Are Yours."

The third important thing to remember is to pray for something that fits into our life. Something that we are prepared for, something that should belong to us. For example, it would be folly for each of us to ask God to make us the President of the United States. To begin with, very few people are prepared or equipped to be President, and there can be but one President at a time. Other people pray for a million dollars. What they should really pray for is the opportunity to work, and earn a fair salary.

We must pray for those things that are within our reach, things that fit into our lives. Those things that we are prepared to accept and accomplish. As we progress in our studies, we become more expert in our contact with God. We build up our receptiveness. As the fruits of our prayers come to us, we are prepared. When the time comes, we

understand and appreciate the message that our sincere prayers are sure to bring us. God gives us a sign to show us that He has heard our prayers. It is up to us to discover the way in which God has worked His power to perform. Our growth and development control our ability to recognize these signs.

The Fourth Injunction "Raise Your Voice In Prayer For Those Who Know You And Those Who Call You, Friend."

The fourth important thing to bear in mind is that we can pray for another. Very often our lives are so intimately tied up with the life of another, that the sympathetic bond becomes a real spiritual bond.

There are people whose lives influence us another. It may be man and wife, parents and child, friends, or it may be any two people whose understanding sympathy makes them, to all spiritual interests and purposes, one. These people are usually ones who have developed the spiritual understanding to such a degree that they can keep their prayers within the limits that understanding prayer demands.

Some people have developed their receptiveness to so high a degree that they can influence the lives of others in a beneficial way. They are the High Chosen Few. Those whose lives and efforts have attained so high a spiritual plane that their substance shuns from them like a violet on a halo of light. They are the True Priests of Life. They understand the physical and spiritual limitations of others. Knowing and understanding these limitations, they know how to help with their prayers.

In numbers of deep dependency and sadness, in matters of illness and health, we can pray for help for those whom we love, or those who are dear to us. God understands these prayers. He knows that they are unselfish prayers, and is ready to accept them as such.

We must be as ready to give thanks, as we are to ask a favor. God measures our capacity for blessings by our ability to appreciate those

things that we have.

We must learn to be thankful for small favors.

We must always be ready and willing to admit that we have been in error. That we were not prepared for the blessings that sincere Prayer brought to us, if we overlooked the opportunities to serve. There should be no shame in facing God and telling Him that we have erred. That's why we are human beings. We must at all times be ready to forgive those who have trespassed against us. We should ask God to forgive them. Have we not a most beautiful example of forgiveness before us?

Remember how He said, in the midst of His travail:

"Forgive them, Father, for they know not what they do."

That should be our motto in Prayer. For that moment when we can understandingly forgive others, that instant, we have made our most intimate contact with the Lord and Master.

Above all, we must be open and above board with our God. Never try to make excuses for anything that you've done. God knows your intention before you yourself have thought of it.

Hence we learn the answer to our Question "What to Pray For".

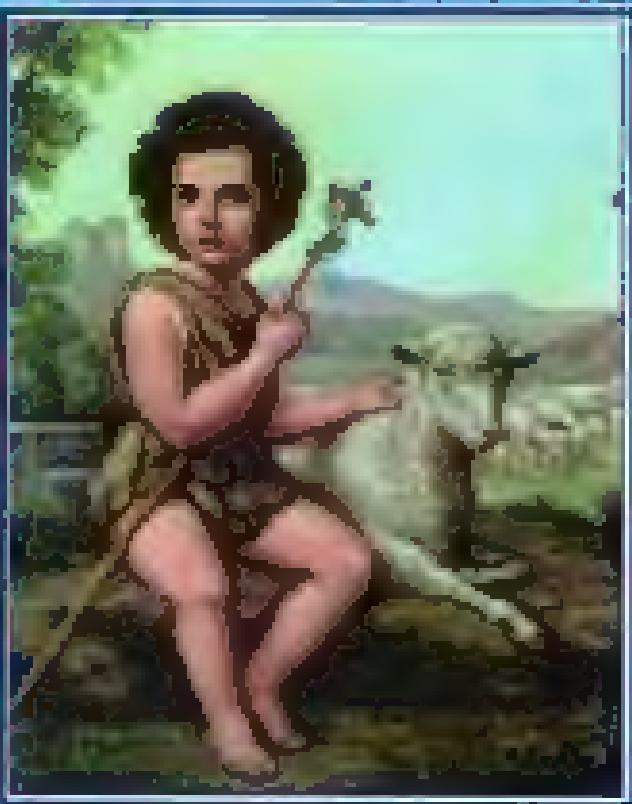
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